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DREADFUL DISASTER.

The New-York and New-Orleans Steamer Evening Star Foundered at Sea.

Nearly Three Hundred Persons Lost.

A few Survivors Arrive at Fernandina, Florida.

Names of the Cabin Passengers from New-York.

An Unusual Number of Females Among Them.

Two of the Steamer's Boats Supposed to have Sunk.

The Boat of the Survivors Nine Times Capsized.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Monday, Oct. 8.

The steamer *Evening Star*, from New-York, bound to New-Orleans, foundered 180 miles east of Tybee, with 250 passengers and 50 crew.

Five of the crew and FRANK GERRARD, a passenger, were saved.

SECOND DISPATCH.

SAVANNAH, Monday, Oct. 8.

The boat from the steamer *Evening Star* arrived at Fernandina. It left the steamer with eighteen persons, including Capt. KNAPP, one lady and a child. The boat was capsized nine times. At the sixth time the Captain was lost.

As the steamer *Sylvan Shore* left Fernandina a boat was reported to be coming in with the Purser and Engineer of the *Evening Star*.

Four boats left the steamer as she sunk. The other two are supposed to have been swamped.

The schooner *S. J. Waring*, from New-York for Apalachicola, had put in in distress, having thrown overboard part of her deck load.

The *Waring* brought the Chief-Engineer, the Purser, two passengers and six of the crew of the *Evening Star*, who were picked up at sea.

CABIN PASSENGERS

Sailed from New-York for New-Orleans, Sept. 29.

Gen. H. C. Palfrey, lady, child and servant,
Miss Palfrey,
Miss Sloo,
Mrs. E. A. Van Sickle,
Mrs. J. T. Mason,
Frank R. Dennis,
Mr. Haberow,
Mr. Rockwell,
John Touro,
Mrs. John J. Adams,
Mrs. W. H. Robbins,
Miss Lilly Parker,
Miss Minnie Taylor,
George Hillman and son,
Miss Margaret Hillman,
D. Pretto and wife,
Mrs. Gillespie and daughter,
James Gallier and wife,
Mr. Ehenest,
Mr. Tapain and wife,
Miss Tapain,
O. Destorbuy and wife,
Mr. T. Decormes,
Miss T. Borel,
Miss Celine Cayot,
Mr. and Mrs. Codpim,
Mr. and Mrs. Caillant,
Chas. Alhaya and lady,
Mrs. Chenup,
S. Francis,
Mrs. G. Thompson,
Henry Smith,
Miss Quatorse,
V. Michel,
Mrs. N. Frontier,
Miss Lagument,
Miss H. Strauss,
Miss J. Ponsonby,
Henry T. Crocheron,
Miss Belinda Meserole,
Mr. Severse,
T. Coignard,
S. Robert,
Solomon Myers,
Miss G. L. Conine,
B. G. Fraser and sunt,
Jonathan Havens and lady,
C. C. Ackerman,
J. Polglars,
George Fisher,
Capt. Wm. Chipman,
J. E. Smith,
Harry H. Register,
Martin T. Hall,
Isaac Hapner,
James McGuire,
Miss Caillant,
Miss Laura de Montpierre,
Miss Amelia Ferne,
Miss Josephine de bonne Campana,
J. Mindbled,
C. Fisher,
John Harper,
Jeremiah Mancouia,
George Estell,
Miss Emily Devlin,
D. B. Small,
Miss Mary Duvall,
Leopold Schwerin,
John J. Reed,
Paul Julien,
F. J. Ninage,
Chas. Puckdeschel and daughter,
Miss Ross Burns,
Miss S. Sterrett,
Mrs. J. King,
Mrs. G. T. Philbin,
Miss Julia Munroe,
Miss A. Chibaud,
A. Goette and wife,
Mrs. S. F. Gordon,
Mrs. Spangenberg and 3 servants,
Alexander Langleis,
Alfred Langleis,
Mrs. Henry Newell and daughter,
Miss Destorbuy,
Miss Eva Kreppa,
Miss Nellie Lavere,
Miss Mary Hudson,
Mrs. Elodie Girard,
Miss G. Fersey,
Miss E. Durand,
Mrs. J. Durnery,
Miss J. M. Ster,
Mrs. T. Masic,
Miss T. Campana,
H. Humboldt,
Miss H. Jeremol,
Mr. La Fontaine,
Mr. and Mrs. P. Polydor,
G. Harrison,
Miss Jane T. Moran,
Miss Helen Pomeroy,
J. H. Dupasseur,
John T. Martin,
Miss T. Clotain,
Miss H. Renou,
Miss G. Reed,
Miss T. Benidetti,
J. L. Hersey,
F. T. Fontainbleau,
S. J. Ponsonby,
Herman Spader,
Charles T. Low,
G. T. White,
J. M. Davidson,
J. Monroe Pell,
S. M. Barlow,
Frank Dennison,
C. M. Mary,
V. G. Vila,
Mrs. V. G. Vila,
Jas. Harkness, Jr.,
J. C. Denvry,
S. M. Parigot,
T. Buvan,
Mrs. N. Doyle,
H. D. Hertnes,
John Perchal,
S. Morenahelager,
T. Laquement,
J. L. Strum,
John Geiser,
Ferd. H. Stutt,
Harrison Quinan,
James Bouffe,
S. Ferne,
George Sandal,
Miss Addie Norton.
Joseph and Therese Ulrich,
Mrs. S. Geiser and child,
Mrs. N. Doyle,
Miss Caroline Glanner,
Miss Mary Lyman,
Barbara and Julia Coria,
Edward O'Brien and child,
Franklin Smith,
Harvey Crowther and others in the steerage.

THE RECENT GALES.

A British Steamer Foundered at Sea—Nearly All Hands Saved.

FORTRESS MONROE, Va., Monday, Oct. 8.

The British steamer *Queen Victoria* foundered at sea on the 4th inst., during the recent storm, lat. 33° 3', lon. 70° 30'. The passengers and crew were picked up yesterday by the brig *Pomfret*, from New-York. Thirty-five were transferred this morning to the steamer *James Garay*, from Wilmington for Baltimore, which arrived in Chesapeake Bay this afternoon. Two lives were lost. The engineer died from exposure, and the mate was washed overboard. The storm commenced on the 2d, and the steamer sprung a leak on the morning of the 3d.

Marine Disasters.

BOSTON, Monday, Oct. 8.

The brig *Eliza Ann*, of New-York, Capt. AYRES, from Rondout, with coal for Boston, was ran into and sunk off Minot's Ledge on Sunday evening by the schooner *S. R. Wheeler*, from Boston. The crew were saved. The schooner received trifling damage.

The schooner *A. B. Terry*, of Nantucket, from Clinton Point for Salem, with moulding sand, sprung aleak and sank off Minot's Ledge on Saturday night. Crew saved.

Spoken, Sept. 22, latitude 48°, longitude 41°, bark *Venus*, from London for Philadelphia. She had on board fourteen of the officers and crew of the wrecked ship *Shooting Star*, and had put the remaining ten on board of an eastward bound vessel.

The wrecked vessel above alluded to is supposed to be the *Shooting Star*, Capt. PETTIGROVE, from Liverpool for Eastport.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Monday, Oct. 8.

The Spanish brig *Roma*, from Matanzas for St. Johns, N. F., partly dismantled and leaking, arrived here to-day.

OREGON.

Action of the Legislature on the Constitutional Amendment.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sunday, Oct. 7.

A dispatch from Salem, Oregon, states that in the House of Assembly, yesterday, Mr. HUMASON offered a series of resolutions declaring that the action of the House in ratifying the Constitutional Amendment before the admission of the members of Grant County to their seats was fraudulent, and by the aid of one Union member, the resolutions were adopted by the following vote: Yeas 24, nays 23.

The Secretary of State was then requested to transmit a copy of the resolutions to Secretary SEWARD.

Further action will be had to-morrow.

WASHINGTON.

Special Dispatches to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Oct. 8.

NATIONAL THANKSGIVING DAY.

The President has issued a proclamation recommending that Thursday, the 9th day of November, be observed as a day of thanksgiving and praise to God for all his mercies and benefits, and also recommending that on the same solemn occasion the people humbly and devoutly implore Him to grant to our national councils and to our whole population that divine wisdom which alone can lead any nation into the ways of all good.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE JEFF. DAVIS CASE.

In a day or two an official statement of the condition of the JEFF. DAVIS case, with reference especially to the failure to bring the prisoner to trial, will be given to the public, and it is probable that, as suggested in a former dispatch, the Chief Justice, Judge UNDERWOOD, the United States District Attorney, and the United States Marshal, of Virginia, will be formally notified that the prisoner is now held by the Government, subject to the writ of the United States Circuit Court of Virginia, to answer the indictment found in that court. These officers will doubtless be requested to take immediate possession of the prisoner.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

The State Department has published a third supplemental circular respecting the Paris Universal Exposition, from which it appears that Belgium, France, Italy and Switzerland have, by a Monetary Convention, united to regulate the weights, title, form and circulation of their gold and silver coins. This arrangement is for the purpose of remedying the inconvenience to trade between the respective countries, resulting from the diversity of their small silver coins, and to contribute to the uniformity of weights, measures and coins. The Convention is to remain in force until Jan. 1, 1880. Any other nation can join it by accepting the obligations imposed, and adopting the monetary system of the unit in regard to gold and silver coins. Mr. BECKWITH, United States Commissioner-General to the Paris Exposition, says, in a letter to the State Department: "The reduction in the value of the small silver coin brings the standard of this class in harmony, I believe, with the small silver coin of the United States under the law of 1850. If this be so, the metallic standards both of the gold and silver coin of the United States are now in harmony with those of the four countries named, and the standards being in harmony, and the system all decimalized, it only remains to harmonize the law in order to produce reciprocal circulation. For this purpose a common unit does not appear to me necessary. However numerous the systems, if the standards are equal and the system decimalized, it is only necessary that the unit of each be capable of expression in the multiples or submultiples of the others to produce the uniformity of coinage requisite for reciprocal circulation."

FOREIGN UNITED STATES MAILS BURNT.

Under date of Sept. 14, our Consul at Cadiz writes that "the mail which left the United States on Wednesday, Aug. 29, for this city and vicinity, was totally destroyed by fire in its transit from Cordova to Cadiz on the evening of the 12th inst. The mail for the Antilles was also destroyed."

THE CIRCUIT COURT IN VIRGINIA.

The adjourned term of the Circuit Court, which was to be held at Richmond, was not held because it was found that the acts of Congress did not warrant the adjournment from Norfolk. At the last session the number of circuits was reduced to nine, and all of them, except the first and second, materially changed. It is thought that the old allotment of the Chief-Justice and Associates to the circuits, as formerly constituted, does not give them jurisdiction in the new. It is understood that Chief-Justice CHASE has submitted this point to the other Justices, and that the question whether the Circuit Courts will be held this Fall in the altered circuits by the Chief and Associate Justices and District Judges, or by the District Judges alone, will be determined in conformity with the views of the majority.

INSPECTION OF SOUTHERN FORTS AND ARSENALS.

Brevet Major-Gen. JAS. A. HARDIE, Inspector-General, and Brevet Brig.-Gen. A. P. HOWE, Acting Inspector-General of Artillery, who have been absent for the past two months on a tour of official inspection of the forts and arsenals through the South, returned last week, and have since been engaged in preparing their report, which is just completed. They depart again to-morrow to complete their work in other localities, which will require several weeks more. This is the first regular inspection of Southern forts and arsenals since the close of the war.

NAVAL.

The Navy Department is in receipt of advices announcing that the United States steamers *Ashuelot* and *Juniata* arrived at St. Paul de Loando on the 11th of August, and the *Mohican* arrived at St. Thomas on the 18th ult.

INTERNAL REVENUE OFFICERS COMMISSIONED.

The following Internal Revenue officers received their commissions to-day: THOS. J. REILLEY, Assessor Third Indiana District; ELIAS A. CALKINS, Collector Second Wisconsin District; B. S. SAUNDERS, Collector Eighth Tennessee District; SYLVESTER S. MANN, Collector Second Illinois District; BASIL C. BROWN, Assessor Fourteenth Ohio District.

SECRETARY SEWARD.

Secretary SEWARD was well enough to be at the State Department to-day, though not performing regular official duties.

ARRIVED AT THE CAPITAL.

Among the arrivals in the city to-day are Senator FOOS, of New-Hampshire, and J. O. NIXON, Esq., Editor of the New-Orleans *Crescent*. The former obtained an interview with the President.

POWERS OF ATTORNEY AND THE BOUNTIES—OPINION OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

The Attorney-General has completed and forwarded to the Secretary of War an opinion upon the power of the War Department to refuse to recognize powers of attorney in the payment of bounties authorized under the late act of Congress. This is the subject about which claim agents have lately been greatly exercised. But as the opinion has not yet been examined by the Secretary of War, it cannot be made public.

INTERNAL REVENUE RECEIPTS.

The receipts of Internal Revenue to-day were $1,076,000.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE FENIAN DELEGATES.

In the reported interview between the President and Messrs. KELLY and MCCAFFERTY, representatives of Fenians in New-York, it has been stated that these gentlemen last named were not well received by the President. This is a mistake. They were courteously received, and Mr. JOHNSON took their petition with the promise that he would give it careful attention at his earliest convenience.

Thanksgiving Proclamation by the President.

The following proclamation has just been issued:

By the President of the United States.

A PROCLAMATION.

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, has been pleased to vouchsafe to us, as a people, another year of that national life which is an indispensable condition of peace, security and progress. That year, moreover, has been crowned with many peculiar blessings. The civil war that has so recently raged among us has not been anywhere reopened. Foreign intervention has ceased to excite alarm or apprehension. Intrusive pestilence has been benignly mitigated. Domestic tranquility has improved, sentiments of conciliation have largely prevailed, and affections of loyalty and patriotism have been widely renewed. Our fields have yielded quite abundantly; our mining industry has been richly rewarded; and we have been allowed to extend our railroad system far into the interior recesses of the country, while our commerce has resumed its customary activity in foreign seas. These great national blessings demand a national acknowledgment.

Now, therefore, I, ANDREW JOHNSON, President of the United States, do hereby recommend that Thursday, the 29th day of November next, be set apart, and be observed everywhere in the several States and Territories of the United States, by the people thereof, as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God, with due remembrance that in His temple doth every man speak of His honor.

I recommend, also, that on the same solemn occasion we do humbly and devotedly implore Him to grant to our national councils and to our whole people that divine wisdom which alone can lead any nation into the ways of all good. In offering these national thanksgivings, praises and supplications, we have the divine assurance that the Lord remaineth a King forever; those that are meek shall He guide in judgment, and such as are gentle shall He teach His way. The Lord shall give strength to His people, and the Lord shall give to His people the blessings of peace.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-first.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

By the President:
WILLIAM H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

MEXICO.

Reported Preparations by Santa Anna's Agents for a Raid on Matamoras—Arms and Supplies for Juarez—He Intends Joining Gen. Escobedo at Monterey.

Advices from San Antonio, *via* Galveston, Texas, are that quite a number of SANTA ANNA'S agents are at work recruiting for a raid on Matamoras. There is but little sympathy shown them there, it being fully understood that SANTA ANNA is pledged to NAPOLEON to acknowledge the French debt if he succeeds in gaining a footing on Mexican soil. Very few have signified their intention of joining his standard, as he is known to be inimical to the Liberal cause, and his antecedents with Texans having always been of a questionable character from former treacheries.

Quite large quantities of arms, ammunition and supplies have lately reached the Mexican frontier, designed for JUAREZ'S army at Monterey and other places. The forces under Gen. ESCOBEDO are now in excellent condition, and will soon be fully equipped for the coming Winter campaign. Latest advices from Chihuahua of Sept. 17 state that JUAREZ was then at that place, preparing for an early departure for Monterey, where Gen. ESCOBEDO is at present in command. The Liberal forces are in excellent condition, sanguine of future success, and await the presence of their President, who has for five years upheld their cause.

MISSOURI.

The Southern Loyalists.

ST. LOUIS, Monday, Oct. 8.

The reception of the Southern Loyalists tonight was a grand ovation. A torchlight procession near two miles long escorted the delegates to Lucas Market-place, where thousands of citizens had already gathered and which was decorated with hundreds of flags, banners, transparences, &c. Hon. HENRY T. BLOW delivered the welcoming address, which was responded to in a very able argument by Gov. HAMILTON, of Texas. Speeches were made from three stands by different members of the delegation, and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed. The number present had but slightly diminished at 11:30 this evening.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Fire Engineers Chosen—Eight Men Reported Killed by Indians.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sunday, Oct. 7.

The Board of Fire Commissioners of the paid Fire Department, have elected FRANK E. R. WHITNEY Chief Engineer, and HENRY W. BURCKES and CHARLES H. ACKERSON First and Second Assistant Engineers.

The bark *Beringa*, hence for Sydney April 30, encountered a tremendous hurricane June 21, in lat. 38 19 S., lon. 153 20, but escaped injury.

NATHAN FLOYD, late of Leavenworth, was recently killed, together with seven companions, by Indians, while *en route* to Montana.

Arrived bark *Cavalier*, from Glasgow.

The steamer *Oriflamme* has arrived from Columbia River with $121,000 in treasure.

MARYLAND.

The Registry Law—Important Decision by the State Attorney.

BALTIMORE, Monday, Oct. 8.

The question raised as to whether the Registry Law applies to the municipal election which takes place in this city on Wednesday, and, if applicable, whether those persons recently added to said registration by the Registers of this year, appointed to correct the list, can be considered as entitled to vote on Wednesday, said correction not yet being completed, and still subject to final revision at the end of the month, is exciting much interest, and many opinions, legal and otherwise, have been rendered.

The Attorney-General of the State, ALEXANDER RANDALL, has now rendered an opinion sustaining the law and maintaining that the municipal elections must be controlled by it, that the old list can only be used on Wednesday, the new list not yet being completed. This will have an important bearing on the result.

BALTIMORE, Monday, Oct. 8.

The political excitement is increasing. There were some slight disturbances to-night in the eastern section of the city. Pistols were freely used and one man severely injured.

The Judges of the Election held a meeting to-night, and decided to be governed by Attorney-General RANDALL'S opinion sustaining the Registry Law. The Police Commissioners have sworn in four hundred extra policemen for election day, increasing the force to eight hundred men.

CALIFORNIA.

Imports—Wheat Sale—Mining Stocks Depressed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Monday, Oct. 8.

The bark *Sarita*, from Honolulu, brings 572 bags and 1,500 kegs of sugar.

The ship *Elias Walker*, from the Ochotak Sea, brings 40,000 codfish.

On Saturday 2,000 sacks of choice wheat sold, for export, at $1 65 per 100 lbs.; Isthmus butter sold at 35c.

Mining stocks show a continued depression. The product of various mines in September was as follows: Hale and Norcross, $150,700; Gould and Curry, $117,000; Savage, $145,000; Crown Point, $115,000: Chollar, $75,000; Imperial, $78,000.

VERMONT.

Meeting of the Legislature—The Probable United States Senators.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Monday, Oct. 8.

The Vermont Legislature meets on Wednesday next. Hon. J. W. STEWART will be unanimously reelected Speaker. Two United States Senators are to be chosen. Hon. J. S. MORRILL, Member of Congress, will have no competitors for one of the vacancies in the Senate, but for the other, Hon. GEORGE F. EDMUNDS, Conservative Republican, will find a formidable one in the person of Gen. UNDERWOOD, Radical Sumner Republican.

Disturbance by Negroes in Tennessee.

MEMPHIS, Monday, Oct. 8.

A serious disturbance occurred on Cat Island, twenty-five miles below here, on Saturday. About fifty negroes armed themselves, and started out, as some say, with the determination to slaughter all whites.

They first encountered HENRY and IKE TURNER and commenced firing on them. The latter returned the fire with revolvers, killing BILL DIXON, the negro leader, and another, and wounding three others. The negroes then fled. HENRY TURNER was slightly wounded in the head.

The whites in the neighborhood then armed, and went in pursuit; but after the death of their leader, the negroes scattered through the country. Parties are now here in search of some of the ringleaders.

THE PENNSYLVANIA ELECTION.

Excitement in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Oct. 8.

A tremendous excitement exists here over the election, which takes place to-morrow. Business is almost totally suspended, and crowds throng the streets, speculating on the probable result. Many bets are being made. Both sides are confident of success.

CANADA.

Revenue of the Province—An Armory Proposed.

TORONTO, C. W., Monday, Oct. 8.

The revenue of the Province for September was $1,170,000, and the expenditure $716,000.

The Government is negotiating with the Home authorities for the establishment of an armory in Canada.

A notice from the English Admiralty Office is published, warning navigators against anchoring near the cable.

NEW-ORLEANS.

The Picayune and the Amendment—Ship News.

NEW-ORLEANS, Sunday, Sept. 7.

The *Picayune* does not deny the statement of giving its adhesion to the Constitutional Amendment, and this morning republishes that document.

There have been eight deaths by yellow fever and seventeen deaths by cholera within the last forty-eight hours.

Arrived, steamship *Fung Shuey*, from New-York.

Sailed, steamship *Gen. Meade*, for New-York.

Arrived, steamer *Joseph Clark*, from Baltimore; ship *Matterhorn*, from Bath, Me.; ship *R. C. Winthrop*, from Havre.

Deaths.

BOSTON, Tuesday, Oct. 8.

The announcement, last week, of the death of MOSES B. WILLIAMS by suicide was premature. He survived until Saturday night. He was 46 years of age.

ADOLPH PRAGER, the dry goods trader, who was shot three weeks ago by FRANK W. ROUNDS, his clerk, died to-day at the hospital. ROUNDS is in custody.

The Catholic Council.

BALTIMORE, Monday, Oct. 8.

In the Roman Catholic Council to-day the proceedings were entirely private. The debates were carried on wholly in Latin.

To-night the Cathedral was crowded to hear the sermon of Bishop ROSECRANS of Ohio, on the subject: "Faith cometh by hearing."

Fire.

BOSTON, Sunday, Oct. 7.

The wholesale drug-store of E. & P. KING & Co., corner of Milk and India streets, was nearly destroyed by fire last night. Loss $40,000, which is mostly insured. ROBERT YOUNG, a fireman, was badly injured by falling from a ladder.

The Laclede Races.

ST. LOUIS, Monday, Oct. 8.

The Laclede races opened to-day. In the Sweepstakes for three-year olds for $1,000, *Muggins* won the race; time 1:46, 1:47. In the one mile dash for $500, *Malcolm* won; time 1:45. The weather was fine and attendance good.

Steamer Cambria Disabled.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Monday, Oct. 8.

The steamer *Cambria*, from New-York, left here yesterday for Mobile, and returned to port to-day with machinery disabled.

Murder and Robbery in Georgia.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Monday, Oct. 8.

A stranger named MCAULEY was assassinated and robbed here on Saturday night. JOHN GEORGE HARLEY, of Little Rock, Ark., has been committed to jail on suspicion of being the murderer.

Death of Commodore Stockton.

PRINCETON, N. J., Monday, Oct. 8.

Commodore STOCKTON died last night at 10 o'clock. His death has cast a deep feeling of gloom over the entire community. His funeral will take place on Wednesday, the 10th inst., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Nomination.

ALBANY, Monday, Oct. 8.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON was to-day nominated for the Assembly by the Democrats in the Third District of this county.

Gulf Steamers.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Oct. 8.

The steamer *Victor* has arrived from New-York.

Nothing has yet been heard from the steamer *Evening Star*, now overdue, from New-York.

The Welland Canal.

TORONTO, Monday, Oct. 8.

The interruption in the Welland Canal is repaired, and vessels are now passing as usual.

COLORADO.

New-York to Pittsburgh, Chicago, Omaha, Fort Kearny and Denver—Progress of the Union Pacific Railroad—Visit of Inspection of Government Directors, &c. &c.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

DENVER CITY, Monday, Sept. 17, 1866.

It is now only a little more than two weeks since I left New-York in company with the Government Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad, for the purpose of observing and inspecting the rapid construction of that greatest of modern enterprises, and also of examining the different routes which have been proposed for the road through the passes of the Rocky Mountains; and it seems to me that during that time I have learned more of the vast extent and resources of our continent than I had ever known before.

Leaving New York on the evening of the 4th September, by the New Jersey and Pennsylvania Central Railroads, we arrived at Pittsburg on the 5th for dinner, after which we were placed in the government Presidential car, which conveyed us most comfortably to Chicago in time to witness the interesting ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the Douglas monument, and hear the eloquent address of Gen. DIX. On Friday evening, the 7th, we continued our journey from Chicago westward over the Iowa division of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, in the magnificent Directors' car, which was kindly placed at the disposal of the Government Directors by Mr. DUNLAP, the General Superintendent, and which conveyed us to the end of the track, a distance of about four hundred miles west of Chicago. From this point we were compelled to make the balance of the distance to Omaha, about ninety miles, by stage. The rails are to be laid, however, upon this portion of the route by the 1st of April next. We arrived at Omaha the eastern terminus of the Union Pacific Railroad, on the morning of the 10th, and spent the day in examining the extensive shops of the company which have all been constructed within the past year. On the morning of the 11th, the Directors took a special train for the end of the track, which was then laid two hundred and seventeen miles westward in the Great Platte Valley. We arrived opposite Fort Kearny at 4 P. M., having passed over two hundred miles of road in eight hours, or at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour. It may not be improper to state in this connection that only forty miles of track were laid on this road during the latter part of 1865. And the balance, or about one hundred and eighty miles, has been laid during the present season, and the track-laying is now progressing so rapidly that it will reach the crossing of the North Platte River, a distance of two hundred and eighty-five miles from Omaha, by the 1st of November.

Our party separated at Kearny Station, and three of the Government Directors, Messrs. HARBAUGH, CARTER and SHERMAN, remained on the north side of the Platte for the purpose of inspecting the balance of the completed portion of the road, and then returning eastward. While the other Government Director, Hon. JESSE L. WILLIAMS, who is also an engineer of great experience, together with Gen. G. M. DODGE, Chief Engineer, and Col. S. SEYMOUR, Consulting Engineer of the road, crossed over to the stage station, near Fort Kearny, for the purpose of continuing our journey by stage to the Rocky Mountains.

We left Fort Kearny at 1 P. M. on Wednesday, the 12th inst., and arrived at Denver at 10 A. M. on the following Saturday, making the entire distance of four hundred miles in less than three days and nights. The speed, comfort and regularity of these Ben Holliday Overland stages is certainly astonishing. When we consider the fact that they pass through hundreds and thousands of miles of almost uninhabited country, and that it is only five years since the experiment was first attempted. Our party was exceedingly fortunate in falling in company with Gen. HUGHES, the attorney of the stage company, who, with his daughter, accompanied us from Omaha to Denver.

Our first view of the Rocky Mountains was from a point on the Plains about one hundred miles distant, and about an hour before sunset on Friday evening, the 14th inst. A heavy cloud had been lying along the western horizon during the whole afternoon, and it was feared that we should not obtain the long coveted view before the following morning, but fortunately the sun broke through and dispelled the lower belt of clouds just in time to give us a magnificent view of the entire range, and see the setting of the sun behind Long's Peak, the highest in the range.

The appearance of Denver, as you approach it from the east, is not very imposing. The town is situated in the valley of the South Platte, about 12 miles in a direct line from the base of the mountains. And the swell, or elevation of the plain to the eastward, hides it from view until you approach within about 3 miles of the town. It then bursts upon the view as if by magic, and presents a most comfortable and inviting appearance to the weary traveler from the Plains, who has seen nothing but log and adobe ranches at intervals of 10 and 20 miles for many long and weary days and nights.

Denver boasts of 4,000 or 5,000 inhabitants. The streets are regularly laid out; and there are many fine brick blocks, either constructed or in course of construction. You can purchase almost anything here that can be purchased in New-York, but at prices from fifty to one hundred per cent. higher. The hotels are very ordinary. Nothing would improve the town more than the construction of a first-class hotel.

We are about to start on our trip through the mountains by way of Holden City, Idaho and Empire City to Ruthurd's Pass, the results of which may form the subject of another letter, if time will permit.

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OBITUARY.

Death of Commodore Stockton.

Commodore ROBERT FIELD STOCKTON died at his residence in Princeton, New-Jersey, on Sunday evening, from an attack of cholera morbus. He had suffered from the premonitory symptoms of this disease for several days, but when medical aid was sought, it was found to be too late. The Newark *Advertiser* of Monday evening says:

Commodore STOCKTON has filled a prominent position in his native State for nearly fifty years. Born in 1796, he entered Princeton College at the age of thirteen, and left at fifteen, to enter the navy as a midshipman under Commodore ROGERS, then in command of the frigate *President*. For his extreme gallant conduct and zeal in the performance of his duty, especially during the defence of Baltimore in 1814, he was promoted to a lieutenancy in December of that year. In 1815 he was sent to the Mediterranean. While on board the *Erie*, as 1st Lieutenant, he took occasion to call to account several British officers who seemed inclined to treat the American navy and its officers with contempt. His terms of meeting, and the dangerous proximity in which he required the parties to be placed, soon brought the gentlemen to terms. He was nevertheless strongly opposed to the practice of dueling, and would never resort to it unless for the purpose of vindicating the national honor or when driven to the last extremity.

In 1821 he was sent home in command of the *Erie*, on a commission of considerable delicacy, relating to some of his superior officers, which he executed with marked dignity and satisfaction to the service. He was then ordered to the coast of Africa, with permission to aid the Colonization Society in procuring a new site for its settlement. Their colony at the island of Sherbro had proved unfortunate. Lieut. STOCKTON, with the consent of the Navy Department, gladly acceded to the wishes of the Colonization Society. Being assigned to the new schooner *Alligator* (of which he retained command for several years,) he took with him Dr. AYERS, the agent of the society, and finally effected a successful negotiation for Cape Mesurado and the surrounding country, which became the nucleus of the Colony of Liberia.

During his cruise on the African coast, Lieut. STOCKTON captured a number of slavers and a Portuguese privateer, the *Marianna Flora*, of twenty-two guns, which had attacked him. This vessel he sent to the United States, and a series of trials followed in the United States Courts as to the propriety of her capture—trials which jeopardized the Lieutenant's private fortune. He was finally justified by the Supreme Court, as he always felt confident he would be.

On his return from the African coast, he was ordered to the West Indies to break up a nest of pirates, then preying upon our commerce. This he successfully effected. From 1826 to 1838 he was absent on leave, and during this period entered upon that scheme of internal improvements in New-Jersey which has become so identified with his name and that of his coadjutors, the Messrs. STEVENS, of Hoboken.

In 1838, Capt. STOCKTON was again sent to the Mediterranean, as flag-officer of the *Ohio*, and in 1839 promoted to a post-captaincy and recalled. He now commenced at Sandy Hook those experiments with guns of large calibre which have finally resulted in changing the form of the navies of the world; and procured from the Navy Department, after much solicitation, permission to construct a war steamer, which had never been done with success. The *Princeton* was commenced at Philadelphia in 1842, and completed in 1844, and proved superior to any war vessel then afloat.

In October, 1845, Commodore STOCKTON was sent to the Pacific coast, and took command of the squadron at the commencement of our difficulties with Mexico. Here he was placed in circumstances which required prompt and decisive action, without being able to communicate with the Government at home. With a force of about 1,500 men, of whom 600 were sailors from the squadron, and the remainder mostly California settlers, in about six months he conquered the whole of California. Having established a provisional government, he returned home overland in June, 1847. In 1849 he resigned his commission in the navy, and in 1851 was elected to the Senate of the United States to represent his native State. Here he strenuously opposed the project of interfering in favor of Hungary against Austria, as desired by KOSSUTH, and procured the passage of a law for the abolition of flogging in the navy—to which he had always been opposed. In 1853 he resigned his seat in the Senate, and has ever since devoted himself to his duties as President of the Delaware and Raritan Canal, with the single exception of serving as a delegate to the Peace Congress, in February, 1861.

During the progress of Gen. LEE through Pennsylvania in 1863, Commodore STOCKTON was appointed by Gov. PARKER Major-General-in-Chief of the Militia of New-Jersey, and had the State been invaded, it is well known that he was prepared to take command in person in defence of the line of the Delaware.

Commodore STOCKTON was always a man of marked and decided character. His influence and control over men were very great. He could not be a common man, put him where you would; and he was, above all, intensely a Jerseyman. His sudden death produces a shock throughout the State; and it will be long felt as a loss of no ordinary character.

Death of a Brother of Charles Dickens in Chicago—What Suggested the Sobriquet of "Box."

From the Chicago Tribune, Oct. 5.

Many of our citizens will be pained to hear of the death of AUGUSTUS N. DICKENS, Esq., a gentleman who has been well known for several years in Chicago as connected with the land department of the Illinois Central Railroad. He expired on Thursday evening, at his residence on North Clark-street, after a severe illness of nearly four weeks.

In recording the sad event, we are reminded of some interesting associations connected with the name of the deceased. Mr. DICKENS was the younger brother of CHARLES DICKENS, the illustrious author—the "pet child" whom the latter more than once alludes to with a peculiar tenderness in his prefaces as the one from whom he derived the *sobriquet* of Box, a name famous in literature. In his preface to the *Sketches*, CHARLES relates how he came to adopt the name of Box, which was a familiar nickname given in childhood to this younger brother; and again, in a recent edition of the *Pickwick Papers*, he recurs to the subject. "Box, my signature in the *Morning Chronicle*, appended to the monthly cover of this book, and retained long afterward, was the nickname of a pet child, a younger brother, whom I had dubbed 'Moses,' in honor of the Vicar of Wakefield, which being facetiously pronounced through the nose, became Boses, and being shortened became Box. 'Box,' was a very familiar housewords to me long before I was an author, so I came to adopt it." It was thus same "pet child," this "younger brother" Box, who died in this city on Thursday night. AUGUSTUS was born in Landport, near Portsmouth, England. He emigrated to America many years ago, and, coming to the West, he purchased some land at Amboy, on the Illinois Central Railroad, where he engaged in mercantile pursuits. It does not appear that either in farming or merchandise he was successful. The farm did not prosper, and he lost what money he had invested. About six years ago he came to Chicago with his family. At that time the late Mr. CORNEN was residing here, and through his influence Mr. DICKENS obtained, in July, 1860, a position in the land department of the Illinois Central Railroad, which position he retained till his death. Personally Mr. DICKENS was highly esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. He was a man of that happy, cheerful, kind-hearted disposition which endeared him to his friends and made but few enemies. His features bore a striking resemblance to those of his illustrious brother, and if he was not endowed with the same rare mental gifts, he at least shared with him a touch of kindly humor, and what was better, he possessed an ample share of that warmth and kindness of heart which one cannot but think is a family characteristic. He was united in marriage to a most estimable lady, a daughter of Mr. J. W. PHILLIPS, a retired London merchant, who bore him several children. Not long ago he became the father of triplets, all of whom died shortly after birth and now lie buried in Graceland Cemetery. Mr. DICKENS was about 40 years of age at the time of his death.

THE ARMY.

Reported Appointments in the New Regiments—Muster Out Suspended—Resignation of Lieut. Beecher.

From the Washington Chronicle, Oct. 8.

The following appointments in the new regular regiments authorized by the Army Bill passed at the late session of Congress are reported to have been made:

Colonels of Cavalry—A. J. Smith, 7th; Ed. Haich, 9th; B. H. Grierson, 10th.

Lieutenant-Colonels of Cavalry—G. A. Custer, 7th; T. C. Devin, 8th; C. C. Walcott, 9th.

Majors of Cavalry—Alfred Gibbs, 7th; J. F. Wade, 9th; G. A. Forsyth, 10th.

Cavalry—Not yet Gazetted—Wm. Redwood Price, Major 8th Regiment; James W. Forsyth, Major 9th Regiment; Hiram Schofield, Major 10th Regiment.

Colonels of Infantry—D. S. Stanley, 22d; A. C. Gillam, 24th; J. J. Reynolds, 26th; C. H. Smith, 28th; O. B. Wilcox, 29th; J. D. Stevenson, 30th; Regis de Trobriand, 31st; T. H. Ruger, 33d; Charles Griffin, 35th; J. A. Mower, 39th; N. A. Miles, 40th; Daniel E. Sickles, 42d; J. C. Robinson, 43d; T. G. Pitcher, 44th; Wager Swayne, 45th.

The 38th and 40th are colored regiments, and the four last named are Veteran Reserve Corps regiments.

Lieutenant-Colonels of Infantry—Emory Upton, 25th; B. B. Ayres, 28th; J. H. Potter, 30th; C. R. Woods, 33d; A. V. Kautz, 34th; R. W. Hinks, 40th; J. B. McIntosh, 43d; G. A. Woodward, 45th.

Majors of Infantry—H. C. Merriam, 38th; T. G. Rodenbaugh, 43d; M. D. Hardin, 43d; B. L. Kilpatrick, 44th; and probably P. B. Runkle, 45th; — Compton, (col.,) 40th. It is also said that the following-named officers have been commissioned Colonels of infantry: Gordon Granger, George Stoneman Hazen, Fred. Steele, John Gibbon, Jeff. C. Davis and John P. Hartranft.

The Secretary of War has directed Major-Gen. D. E. SICKLES to suspend the muster-out of Brevet Brig.-Gen. CHARLES H. HOWARD,

POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

THE GREAT QUESTION—THE ROAD TO CONCILIATION.

Letter of "Georgia"—Constitutional Amendments—Necessity of their Adoption—Nothing Better will be Offered—Objections to Them—Erroneous Reasoning—Their Adoption the Way to Conciliation.

THE BECHES, Thursday, Oct. 4, 1866.

I have read with great interest a letter or two in the TIMES, signed "Georgia." The writer seems to be one of the few men who are capable of thinking honestly, and looking truth in the face. This all intelligent man must learn to do or Republican Government will go to ruin. I agree with the Conservatives in thinking it not only desirable but necessary that there should be both a political and a moral conciliation of the different sections of the Republic. To accomplish this is the problem of the day. I have differed widely from rebels, Democrats and Conservatives, as to the means of solving this problem. But as the discussion has gone on, and the political issues and divergences of public men narrowed themselves down, we find the main points reduced to very few, and those likely to be soon determined, unless the South and the Democratic Party recklessly continue the contest, when it is *de facto* settled.

The last is a critical question. For if the South, with the aid of the Democratic Party, resolve not to be satisfied with what the majority of the nation think mild and just terms, what can follow but embittered feelings and persistent conflicts? Now what does the nation propose? What is the *ultimatum* of the dominant party? I think the very mildest propositions are contained in the proposed amendments to the Constitution; but if they are frankly and speedily accepted, I think no more will be asked. But if they are to be rejected and treated with contempt, who can tell what results will follow? We live in revolutionary times—and if revolutions are resisted, they are much more apt to run into violent extremes, than to go backward. Under our Constitution we have no right whatever to force any particular kind of suffrage on the States; but who knows but the Constitution may be changed in that respect? But the Government has the power to confiscate the property of rebels; and who knows how soon it may be done under an avalanche of popular opinion? I see in the papers that the Government is about to restore the Arlington estate to Gen. LEE.* Then we may see LEE, who led the armies of rebellion against the Government of his country, enjoying his estate, within sight of the Capitol, and laughing at the Government which could not punish him. Now, how much talent and eloquence do you think it will take to throw the whole West into an excitement against such a procedure? When rebels and copperheads reject the amendments to the Constitution, let them remember that some things may follow. These amendments are not the propositions of Mr. STEVENS, of WENDELL PHILLIPS, or even Gen. BUTLER, but they are the deliberate propositions of such men as I am, who, while opposing secession, rebellion and Copperheadism, and who are determined to guard against any future danger, would, notwithstanding, do nothing which is unjust, inhuman, or even unkind, toward men or communities willing to share our common lot and common destiny. We present the Amendment to the Constitution as our *ultimatum*. Nothing less will ever be offered; nothing less will ever bring the rebel Territories into Congress. Now, then, is not the acceptance of those amendments the way to conciliation? The TIMES seems to doubt whether that is the *ultimatum*. It is beyond doubt an offer fairly made, and will be stuck to, by those who can now control the action of the Union Party; but if the South rejects, how long can it be made the sole basis of conciliation?

What are the objections to it? I am surprised by the objection made by "Georgia," because not on the ground I anticipated. The objection made by "Georgia" is personal, not general. He admits, I am glad to see, that equal representation is fair and honest, and that, in my opinion, is the great substantive point of the amendment. But he says that the leading rebels must not be disfranchised, because it would be dishonorable. And he says, palsied be any Legislature which will adopt this amendment. Why? What is there in that condition wrong? What does the amendment say precisely on this head? Has "Georgia" clearly understood it? Here is the amendment:

SECTION 3. No person shall be a Senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice-President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States or under any State who, having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature or as an executive and judicial officer of any State to support the Constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof; but Congress may, by a vote of two-thirds in each House, remove such disability.

Now, observe, that the only persons thus excluded are those who have "taken an oath" as "member of Congress," "officer of the United States," or member of State Legislatures, or Executives, or Judicial officer of any State, &c., &c. Now, these do not comprehend more than one in a hundred of the Southern people, and who are they? Men who have perjured themselves in the sight of heaven and earth. If I take an oath to support the Government of Georgia, and then fight against the Government of Georgia, I am perjured, no matter if I give a thousand good reasons for doing it. Perjury is a fact—not an opinion. Treason, under the Constitution and laws of the United States, is an overt act—so defined. Now, every one of these men committed perjury and committed treason by the overt act. Now, recollect, that treason or any other crime is not an opinion at al', but an overt act. It is the act and not the opinion which condemns the criminal. "Georgia" has a very strong sympathy for LEE, JOHNSTON, ALEXANDER STEPHENS, and that class of men, and it is natural and pardonable. But these men had sworn to support the Government of the United States, and then committed the overt act of treason against it. That fact cannot be washed away by anything whatever. "Georgia" will not deny the fact, but sets up a defence, arising from the motives of the criminals. He says they honestly believed their allegiance was due to the State Governments and did what they and everybody thought was right, by their theory. This was the doctrine set up by all who entered into the rebellion, whether they believed in secession or not.

Now, I cannot respect the intellect of any man who admits the existence of a General Government over the whole country, and then says that his allegiance is due to the State, rather than that Government. This theory stultifies his intellect and depraves his morals. But I can admit that he holds that opinion honestly, and believes it right to act upon it. Now, we come to a point "Georgia" and his friends have not discussed. Suppose a criminal is tried by a Court for an overt act of crime, and makes his defence that, on his theory of right and wrong, he was right—that is, he thought he was right. Is there any principle of the criminal law which will excuse him from that crime, because he thought he was right. A, in a case of disputed title, thinks he has the title to a piece of ground. B thinks that the title is in him, and he is on the ground. A comes on the ground to drive B off, and in the conflict kills B. Will the law acquit A of murder, because he thought he had the title? No. Men are answerable for overt acts, and not opinions.

Battle fields are not opinions. The massacre at Fort Pillow was not an opinion. The starving of prisoners at Andersonville was not an opinion. The assassination of LINCOLN was not an opinion. These are dark and damning crimes, for which the actors in them must and will be held accountable till the day of doom. There is no tribunal, human or divine, which will acquit criminals simply on the ground of false opinions and false belief. It is our duty to make our opinions right or abide the consequence of crimes committed under them. And can "Georgia" seriously believe that we will quietly submit to see LEE and STEPHENS and JOHNSTON and TOMBS and WISE and FORREST come back to an equal share in this Government? If he does events will speedily undeceive him. But this ought not to be an objection to the plan of conciliation, for it is personal and temporary. This generation of traitors will soon pass away, and the great body of the people in Georgia will, even under the amendment, be eligible to any office. But this is not the real objection. The great objection which underlies the whole subject is, that the amendment will take away the hopes and power of the Democratic Party. And let me tell "Georgia" that the Democratic Party has no power to help the South. What power it has is diminishing.

I repeat, the way to conciliation is in the adoption of the Constitutional Amendments. No better will ever be offered, and if accepted in a frank and liberal spirit they will be sufficient for the restoration of political peace and prosperity.

A VETERAN OBSERVER.

* We think our correspondent entirely mistaken in this matter. We have seen no intimation of the kind in any quarter worthy of credit. Besides, the Arlington estate has been appropriated to the purposes of a Soldiers' Cemetery, and contains the bodies of some 6,000 heroes, who fell in arms against the rebellion led by Gen. LEE. We doubt whether he would care to receive back the estate any more than the Government would care to give it to him, thus gloriously encumbered.—EDITOR TIMES.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Republican Congressional Convention in the Third District—Nomination of Ginery Twitchell—Letter from Hon. A. C. Rice.

The Republicans of the Third Congressional District of Massachusetts held their Convention in Boston on Friday afternoon, and Col. A. J. WRIGHT presided. The following letter from Hon. ALEX. H. RICE, the present incumbent, was read:

BOSTON, Oct. 4, 1866.

Edward W. Kinsley, Esq.:

MY DEAR SIR: On the 15th ult. I addressed a letter to the electors of the Third Congressional District, expressing my intention not to be a candidate for re-election to Congress. I then thought I had fully considered such reasons as could be presented by those who might wish for my longer continuance, and my decision was resolved only after comparing them with other reasons which induce me to withdraw. I felt that it could now withdraw without sacrifice of any of the interests of the district, or a hazard of success to the principles which I hold in common with those whose support I have hitherto received. I acknowledge with deep and grateful sensibility that the numerous expressions of regret at my withdrawal have surprised, somewhat gratified and much embarrassed me; and they have led to a review of my decision, not in the light of my own preference or choice only, but in the graver aspect of my duty to the public and to others. I am not able to find reasons for changing my decision which seem to me paramount to those upon which it was originally formed. I should feel entirely at liberty to do so if I saw such reasons. I sincerely desire the success of the Republican Party at the ensuing election, because I believe it has in its keeping the best interests of the country, and that it will guard with justice and discretion the conditions upon which he States lately in rebellion may be restored to their proper relations in the Union. Its defeat would be regarded North and South as a popular repudiation of the ideas upon which the war was fought, the objects for which it was fought, and the results which were obtained by our victories. I have stood before the people of this district as the representative of the principles which have triumphed in the war when there was no small chance of their defeat at the polls. At the last Congressional election in our district there was a Republican majority approximating four thousand. Substantially the same people who made up this majority remain here still. If they permit divisions which shall imperil such principles and measures of public policy, or omit the effort necessary for their success, the responsibility will be theirs. I have no fear that they will do either. Profoundly and sincerely grateful as I am to my friends for the many evidences of their respect and kindness, especially notice and appreciate the resolutions which were passed at the meetings held for selecting candidates to the Congressional Convention; and inasmuch as these resolutions foreshadow with some probability my renomination, I feel it to be proper that I should apprise the Convention through you that however they may have inspired my gratitude, they have not affected my sense of duty heretofore expressed; and I do not wish to deprive my successor of the freshness of an original nomination.

I am, dear sir, faithfully your friend,

ALEXANDER H. RICE.

After some statements, however, on the part of members of the Convention, expressive of their desire that MR. RICE should be reinstated, a motion was passed declaring him the nominee. A Committee was thereupon appointed to notify MR. RICE of his nomination, which Committee, having performed that duty, reported that MR. RICE wished them to thank the Convention and to say that it was impossible for him to accept. An informal ballot was then taken, resulting as follows: Whole number of votes 112; A. J. WRIGHT had one, P. R. GUINEY 6, WENDELL PHILLIPS 9, C. W. SLACK 11, WILLIAM A. WHITING 25, GINERY TWITCHELL 56. Upon the formal ballot 106 votes were cast, of which Mr. TWITCHELL received 93, and his nomination was made unanimous. The following resolutions were adopted:

This Convention of Delegates, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to the Fortieth Congress, have received with deep regret the announcement of Hon. A. H. RICE's declination. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the thanks of the citizens of the Third Congressional District are tendered to Mr. RICE for his past services, which have been marked by the ability and integrity characteristic of their honored representatives.

Resolved, That in parting with him in that capacity, they trust that it is only for a time that his talents will be devoted to the public, and that still higher honors may await one who has been faithful and fearless in the discharge of every duty.

ILLINOIS.

The Contest for the Nomination in the Chicago District—Gen. Osborne Consents to the use of his Name.

The card to Gen. OSBORNE, requesting him to accept the Republican nomination for Congress, was as follows, and was numerously signed:

Gen. Thomas O. Osborne:

DEAR SIR: Inasmuch as the contest between the candidates for nomination to Congress in this District has become so bitter and malignant as to endanger the greatest success of the Republican Party, and as the interests of this District and of the country are of far more consequence than the promotion of any individual, we believe that a large number of the loyal Republican voters of this District would prefer some man upon whom all could more cheerfully unite; and we are confident, other things being equal, that the party prefer a soldier who has distinguished himself during the late war, and knowing that, among all the brave and true men who went out from this district, none carved out with the sword a brighter and more glorious record than yourself, and believing that your sympathies and feelings are entirely in unison with Congress and the Radical Republican Party of the country, we earnestly solicit you to permit the use of your name as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in this district.

We would most respectfully urge Hon. JOHN WENTWORTH and Hon. NORMAN E. JUDD, for the purpose of promoting harmony in the party and subserving the interests of the country, to withdraw from the contest, so that your nomination may be made by acclamation.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3, 1866.

In reply, Gen. OSBORNE accepts, saying that although they had spoken in too eulogistic terms of his career as a soldier, yet whatever of hardship he had borne in the field, it has not been borne in vain if he can "see the Union restored, free speech, a free Press and free locomotion established upon enduring foundations wherever the flag of my country floats. For these we fought, and until all these are secured, the contest must go on. The logical results of the war and victory must be accomplished—liberty and equality before the law for all men." The action of Congress he regards as eminently humane, just and patriotic, but he regrets that universal suffrage could not be made the basis of reconstruction. He adds: "One thing to me is clear—the honor of the Republic requires that our friends, the loyal people of the South, should be protected, and, if necessary, the whole power of the Government should be used for that purpose. Upon reflection I have decided to permit the use of my name in connection with the office of Representative to Congress at this time, upon the supposition of the exigency suggested in your letter—that the honorable gentlemen who are so gallantly contending for the nomination withdraw. I should be quite willing to go before the people, and take my chance with them, but I have never made politics a profession, and have neither means nor the inclination to enter into contest with skilful and experienced politicians."

Col. Cyrus Aldrich, of Minnesota—His Summing up of his Career as a Republican.

Col. CYRUS ALDRICH recently called to order a meeting at Minneapolis, which was addressed by Senator NORTON, and the fact has been commented upon somewhat severely by some of the Western papers. In a note to the St. Paul *Press* Col. ALDRICH states that it was through a misunderstanding on his part, and in order to explain his present position he says:

I am a Republican. I was a Republican before there was a Republican Party. I was a delegate to the "Anti-Nebraska" or "Fusion" Convention in Lee County, Illinois, in 1854. All who were opposed to the repeal of the Missouri compromise were invited to participate in the primary meetings. The Fusionists, or Anti-Nebraskaists, that year nominated and elected a Fusion candidate to Congress over both the Whig and Democratic candidates. I was at the first Republican State Convention ever held in Illinois, and was placed on a Committee of Nine, with ABRAHAM LINCOLN at the head, to nominate candidates for State officers. That Committee reported names for each and every office, every one of which were nominated by acclamation, and all were elected. I was a delegate to the first National Republican Convention which nominated FREMONT and DAYTON; was one of a Committee of nine appointed by that Convention to wait upon those gentlemen, inform them of their nomination, and request their acceptance. I expended $1,000 and considerable time in Illinois to defeat BUCHANAN and elect FREMONT. In 1857 I was a member of your Constitutional Convention. I was also a nominee for Congress that year. I expended $5,000 in cash to keep the Republican wing of the Convention running, and to elect the Republican candidates, and I lost twice that sum by attending to public and political affairs, and by neglecting my own private business. A few weeks since it was reported that I was appointed "Assessor of Internal Revenue"—that report was started and circulated for effect by my enemies, and by some one's friends. Now it is stated by the same men that I am to have the Post-office at this place. I am not an applicant for any office. I do not expect any office, and I could not accept of any appointment were one tendered me. I am now in favor of the Constitutional Amendment reported by the Reconstruction Committee of Congress, and passed by that body, and I would not vote for any candidate for or to its Legislature, who is not in favor of its adoption by our Legislature. I also approve the action of Congress regarding the rebel States. I am about as radical as most of our party; my convictions are as strong as are those of most men, but I do not make myself offensive to my personal friends and neighbors by standing on the corner of the streets and abusing and slandering every one who does not think and act as I do. Hon. OWEN LOVEJOY, of Illinois, in a letter to a friend, some years ago, stated that ALDRICH was the alphabetical ladder of the House, and when members did not understand the question to be voted on, when the ayes and noes were taken, all Republicans considered it safe to follow ALDRICH—if he voted aye they voted aye—if he voted no they voted no. I then and now regarded that as a compliment. I am not a renegade, nor a traitor to party, to principle, to freedom, to free homes, to free speech, nor to free action. I am where I have always been, and I hope and expect to remain there as long as God spares my life. Very respectfully, your friend, &c., CYRUS ALDRICH.

TEXAS.

Acceptance of a Candidate for Congress.

Several citizens of the Second District of Texas recently requested Hon. AMZI BRADSHAW, of Buchanan, to become a candidate for Congress. In a letter acceding to their request MR. BRADSHAW says:

I am glad to know that our country is no longer distracted by the ravages of war—that peace once more reigns throughout the entire length and breadth of the land, and that we are once more permitted, untrammeled, to elect the man of our choice to represent us in the legislative halls of our nation. It is to the interest of all that friendly relations should ever exist between the States. And every good man, North, South, East and West, should lend his talents and influence to that end. But in order to do this I do not think we are called upon to endorse unconstitutional measures, such as the "Civil Rights Bill," "Freedman's Bureau Bill," and taxation without representation. We should endorse and most heartily support the President in his reconstruction policy. And now being called upon to exercise the right of suffrage, we should do so by electing representative men, men of our choice, without any reference to the "iron oath" prescribed by the Radicals in the last session of Congress. If we will do this the abolishment of test oaths will be speedy and certain, while a different course on our part will tend to strengthen radicalism and perpetuate this and other kindred measures concocted by the Radicals—not for the purpose of restoring the Union, but for the express purpose of preventing its restoration.

Your obedient servant, AMZI BRADSHAW.

Gov. Throckmorton Requested to Secure the Withdrawal of the Troops.

At a meeting of the citizens of Austin County, Texas, on the 20th ult., resolutions were adopted indorsing the Philadelphia Convention; and also the following:

Whereas, His Excellency J. W. THROCKMORTON, Governor of the State of Texas, has evinced in his political conduct, as the head of the State, a practical, conservative and conciliatory policy, in unison with the great doctrines above referred to, so beneficial in its results, and so plainly and palpably the true doctrine of the State, that we feel safe in the assertion that the political principles and doctrines have become the political landmarks by which we hope and expect to stand or fall. Therefore,

Resolved, That the people of Austin County, accepting in good faith the political changes growing out of the late war, pledge ourselves to a renewed allegiance to the Government, and to the policy of the President, as enunciated by his public acts and defined by the same Convention.

Resolved, That His Excellency Gov. THROCKMORTON be requested to use all proper means with the military authorities to have the soldiery removed fr m among us, and that we pledge ourselves to furnish to the Sheriff or other officers, at any and at all times, a sufficient posse or guard, to protect all officers of the Government in the discharge of their duties in whatever department or bureau. Respectfully submited.

Secession North and South.

From the Louisville Journal.

In the course of an interview that we had with JEFF. DAVIS in January, 1865, the subject of the terms of peace was introduced. MR. DAVIS asked us what was the chief objection of the North to the recognition of Southern independence. We answered that the North knew perfectly well, as unquestionably he did, that if she should lay down her arms, and consent to a division of the Union into two Confederacies, she herself would very soon be dissolved—that State after State, States singly and States combinedly, would secede, and the whole North be split up into petty powers or no-powers, all of them contemptible in the eyes of mankind, and not one of them willing or able to compel the payment of the national debt. MR. DAVIS replied, with his characteristic calmness, that *this was certainly true, but that the same thing would happen, and probably happen all the sooner, if the North should continue to prosecute the war.*

We thought at the time that MR. DAVIS was greatly mistaken, and told him so. We still trust that we were correct in the conversation, but that still higher opinion, but *just now we can indulge no over-confidence that we were.* The North continued to prosecute the war, and the South, after the bravest and most desperate resistance known in war's annals, was conquered. *But now come the North's trials. Now we are to see the last of her Colossal strength.* If, out of the dreadful war between the North and the South, a Northern civil war arises, if Northern armies march against each other, vengeance before them and blood and death and desert behind, many Northern States will very soon weary and sicken of the horrid work, and will probably adopt secession as the quickest and surest remedy, fully relying upon the mighty troubles and perils of the Federal Government as a perfect security against coercion.

A Newspaper Sued by a Politician—Damages $30,000,

Hon. M. C. KERR, the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Second District of Indiana, has sued the New Albany *Commercial*, of that State, for libel, in having alluded to him as a "traitor," laying damages at $30,000. In relation to the suit the *Commercial* publishes the following:

Gen. BURNETT's speech last night disclosed somewhat sooner than we wished a portion of the evidence upon which we rely to support our opinion and assertion. We addressed yesterday to Gen. BURNETT, who was Judge-Advocate during the rebellion in the celebrated treason trials, and whose reputation as an officer and a man ranks with that of the ablest and purest men in the nation, a note of inquiry in relation to Mr. KERR's connection with the Sons of Liberty. We subjoin the note and Gen. BURNETT's reply, merely remarking that the evidence is not yet all in:

LOUISVILLE HOTEL, Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1866.

James P. Luse, Esq., Editor New-Albany Commercial:

SIR: To your communication of this day I reply: While I was the Treasurer of the Sons of Liberty in Indianapolis, in the Fall of 1864, I sent for Mr. KERR, as I did for many members of the order, with the object of either putting him on trial or using him as a witness, and also for the purpose of questioning him as to the purposes and objects of the order of the Sons of Liberty, of which the rolls captured at DODD's office and the residence of other witnesses, had shown that he was a member. In that interview he unhesitatingly admitted that he was a member of the order. I saw him several times after and conversed with him upon the subject of his membership. He never hesitated or equivocated upon the subject, but always frankly admitted it and further admitted that he was advised in an interview with DODD and others, of the contemplated uprising of the 17th of September, 1864, and was willing, as he stated to me, if put upon the stand, to testify to these facts. The ultimate purpose of the order, in my judgment and that of all the officers engaged in the investigation, was as treasonable and more damnable than the rebellion itself.

H. L. BURNETT,
Late Judge-Advocate, U. S. Volunteers.

The Washington Conservative Army and Navy Union—Conciliatory Resolutions.

The Conservative Army and Navy Union of Washington, at a meeting on Thursday evening, adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, a desire has been manifested by those who were late in arms against us to cultivate a friendly feeling between the sections of our common country, and have declared that they are willing to leave the decision of their rights as citizens of the United States to the officers and men of the Union army and navy; therefore be it

Resolved, That while we consider rebellion a crime which should be severely punished, yet it is not magnanimous as soldiers to attempt to crush a fallen foe, and we therefore welcome with joy all attempts on the part of the people to unite our country.

Resolved, That this should be a union of hearts and a union of hands, and that to accomplish which we must forgive in the present and pledge each other security of all rights in the future.

Resolved, That in extending a hearty welcome back to all our late opponents in the field who will as men pledge to stand up for our whole country, we declare that if again any attempt to disrupt this Union or resist by arms the constituted authorities of the same, we will again, as in the past, willingly offer our lives in defence of her institutions.

POLITICAL ITEMS.

The Troy *Whig* of the 6th, says: "The story in the New-York *Herald* of yesterday, to the effect that a grand dinner to be given Gen. WOOL in this City, at which Postmaster-General RANDALL is to be present, and before which meeting a letter is to be read from the President, and which meeting is to have a tremendous influence on the Congressional election in this district, is all bosh and a dead humbug, having no foundation except in the brain of the writer. Equally bosby is the statement that there is an antagonism between Gen. WOOL and Hon. JOHN A. GRISWOLD (which has been inflamed by the General's Cleveland speech.' Gen. WOOL and Hon. JOHN A. GRISWOLD are relatives—the former a supporter of President JOHNSON's policy and the latter voting with the majority in Congress. That is all."

Col. COLVILLE, the Republican Attorney-General of Minnesota, has received and accepted a nomination for Congress from the Second District, on the Conservative ticket. Hon. R. J. BALDWIN, nominated for the Senate in Hennepin County by the Radicals, presided at a Conservative meeting, addressed by Senator NORTON. Hon. C. ALDRICH, Ex-Republican Congressman, called the meeting to order. The Republicans of Hennepin County express a determination to nominate another candidate for the State Senate in place of Mr. BALDWIN.

The Democratic candidates for Congress from the Fourth District of Texas are Hon. GEORGE P. FINLEY, of Lavaca, Hon. CLAIB HERBERT, and Hon. JOHN HENDERSON. The Radical candidate is Judge I. A. PASCHAL, of San Antonia. The last named, the Houston *Telegraph* says: "Is a strong man, both intellectually and before the people, and is fully up to THAD. STEVENS or CHARLES SUMNER in intense devotion to Radical doctrines." That paper thinks there is danger at his election through the divisions in the party opposed to him.

Gen. A. B. NORTON, Adjutant-General of Texas under Gen. HOUSTON, and editor before the war of the *Southern* (Austin) *Intelligencer*, an uncompromising and original Union man, who was indicted for treason to the Confederacy in five different counties at the time he made his escape from the State, is a candidate for Congress from the Eastern District of Texas, and, it is said, will have no opposition. He once said he would never shave till HENRY CLAY should be President, and hasn't shaved from that time to this. He resided during the war in Ohio.

The Memphis (Tenn.) *Avalanche* understands that a movement is on foot in that city to invite Rev. HENRY WARD BEECHER to visit Memphis, to speak upon political matters. The *Avalanche* states that he would "have accorded to him that respectful hearing which a decently-behaved public speaker will always meet in Memphis," but it is very much exercised at the thought that he should be invited to go there, and is altogether in a very unhappy state of mind.

The *Rocky Mountain News* is very severe on the removal of Hon. FRANK HALL from the Secretaryship of Colorado. It says: "This is the last grain of sand added to the load that Gov. CUMMINGS has saddled upon this Territory. Is it possible that the people will submit to this damnable outrage? Let a vigilance committee be organized at once. Something worse than Vigilantes and road agents demand its immediate attention."

A card is being circulated in Chicago for signatures, requesting Gen. OSBORNE, who was recently appointed Postmaster of the city, but declined to accept the office, to become a candidate for Congress, and also requesting Messrs. JUDD and WENTWORTH to withdraw from the field. WENTWORTH, it is said, has made known his willingness to withdraw, but JUDD, it is understood, declines to do so.

At the municipal election in Nashville, Tenn., last week, MR. BROWN was reelected Mayor by 1,609 votes against SCOVILLE's 456. The Conservatives carried the Councilmen and Aldermen in every ward by a majority of from three or four to one. BRIEN, Conservative, is elected Representative over DICKEY, Radical.

The Knoxville *Commercial* suggests that among those who might be named as fit candidates for Governor of that State are Hon. THOS. A. R. NELSON, Col. JOHN NETHERLAND, Hon. N. G. TAYLOR, Col. JOHN WILLIAMS and Col. JOHN BAXTER. It recommends the nomination of Col. BAXTER.

The Louisville papers report that Gen. ROUSSEAU is lying very ill of catarrh at a hotel in that city, and is consequently unable to fulfil the numerous appointments made for him to speak in Indiana and Ohio.

The official vote in the Sixth Congressional District of Kentucky, at the special election Sept. 15 for member of Congress, is as follows: WARD, 8,725; CARPENTER, 1,062; scattering, 66.

The Springfield *Republican* says that despite the declinations of several of the members of Congress from Massachusetts, it seems now quite likely that all of them will be renominated and reelected.

The New-Orleans *Picayune*, one of the leading political journals of that city, favors the acceptance of the Constitutional Amendment by the South.

Gov. MORTON, of Indiana, has been compelled by ill health to decline speaking any further during the campaign.

Brevet Gen. P. R. GUINEY was nominated on the 1st inst. as a candidate for Congress by the Workingmen's Convention in the Third District of Massachusetts. He has since accepted the nomination.

Owing to the continued prevalence of cholera in Nashville, Tenn., the Democratic State Convention has been again postponed. It is to be held Oct. 27.

AFFAIRS IN THE SOUTH.

LOUISIANA.

Important Judicial Decision—When Emancipation Occurred.

An opinion in the case of State of Louisiana vs. JEAN B'TE ALLISON, F. M. C., was recently given by Hon. FREDERICK GATES, Judge of the Third Judicial District, Parish of St. Martin. The defendant, a freedman, having been indicted for murder, charged to have been committed on the 15th of July, 1865, moved to quash the indictment, and at the same time filed the plea of *autrefois acquit*. The allegations set up in the motion to quash were, "that at the time he is charged to have committed the murder he was a slave, subject to the laws of Louisiana relative to slaves, and amenable to a special tribunal created for their trial; that the effect of the amendment to the Constitution of the United States was to set him free, and abrogate all laws enacted for the punishment of crimes committed by slaves. The plea of *autrefois acquit* was based upon a trial said to have taken place before the Provost Marshal of the Parish of St. Martin, and his acquittal by that officer. The Judge in giving his opinion stated the point in question to be decided was, what was the status of the defendant on the 15th of July, 1865. In order to establish this, he gives a summary of the progress of the emancipation policy from its inception. President Lincoln's proclamation of January 1, 1863, excepted among others the parish of St. Martin, and the defendant still remained a slave. The Constitution of 1864 was not binding on the people of the State, as the convention was called into existence by authority not recognized by the State, the majority of the people of the State being unrepresented in it; while the instrument of their framing has never been ratified in the manner pointed out by the instrument itself. By this, therefore, the status of the defendant was not changed, but was the same as under the proclamation of 1863. In November, 1865, the duly elected representatives of the people of the State at large met in General Assembly, and by taking the oath prescribed by the Constitution of 1860, ratified that instrument. In their representative capacity they resolved in General Assembly convened, that they accepted, as the inevitable result of their failure to establish a separate Government, the present situation, including the abolition of Slavery. Previous to the meeting of the General Assembly, the Secretary of State of the United States declared in an official proclamation that the institution of Slavery had been abolished by the ratification of a constitutional Amendment of three-fourths of the Legislatures of the States composing the Union. The action of the General Assembly, therefore, in accepting the situation, including the abolition of Slavery, was a ratification of the Constitutional Amendment. That act is approved Dec. 6, 1865. On that day the institution of Slavery was abolished by the people of the State of Louisiana, and the defendant became by operation of law a freedman. The laws which provided for the trial of crimes committed by slaves became inoperative from the fact that there was no class of persons to whom they were applicable. The tribunals created for the trials of these cases had original and exclusive jurisdiction, and the defendant being a slave at the time he is charged to have committed the crime, could not then, and cannot now, be tried by the District Courts. The natural consequences which result from the act of emancipation must be accepted, and the act and the fact that the defendant was freed from the jurisdiction of any court which could take cognizance of his crime, is one of the events consequent upon great political convulsions, for which there was no law provided. Motion to quash must prevail."

Gov. Patton, of Alabama, on the State Finances and the Destitution of the People.

Gov. R. M. PATTON, of Alabama, recently delivered an address in Franklin, in that State, in which he stated that although there was not a dollar in the Treasury, the credit of the State was good, and he had succeeded in borrowing money, on the most favorable terms, sufficient to meet all demands. He encouraged the people to develop the mineral and agricultural resources of the country as the most expeditious means to recuperate their shattered fortunes and restore the State to the prosperous and happy position she occupied before the rude hand of war laid waste her fields, crippled her resources, and reduced her citizens from affluence and ease to penury and want. He asserted statistics in regard to the amount of cash which Alabama had lost, and stated that the present destitution in the State was truly distressing. He appreciated the necessity of immediate action, and is doing all in his power to relieve the sufferings of the destitute. The speech of the Governor had a happy effect, it is stated.

South Carolina.

Extract from a private letter dated

NEWBERRY DISTRICT, S. C., Sunday, Sept. 30, 1866.

We have just returned home from an extra session of the General Assembly of the State. We have put the black race upon an equality with the white before our Courts, so far as the right to sue, be sued, and give evidence in the Courts goes.

We have been, and age still, in a fearful state. We have neither civil or military law, and at least one-half of our population is so ignorant as almost to verge upon the savage. The old discipline has not entirely worn off. That, and the respect entertained for the former owner, has been some restraint to lawlessness; but if we do not soon get civil law I shall despair of the country. I have labored assiduously since the surrender of the Southern armies to carry out in good faith the surrender and restore the country to law and order, but I fear, from present indications, it will all be for naught. I fear the President's policy will fail, and Congress, in its over-zeal for the black race, will precipitate such ruin upon the South and the whole country as history has never recorded either in ancient or modern times. Our whole people are now almost in a starving condition. The State will not make provisions enough to last five months; the cotton crop will not be a fifth of that of 1860. Wreck and ruin is upon all sides of us. How we are to weather the storm, God only knows. A few of us, who are out of debt and had a little cotton on hand at the end of the war, can get through, but what is that when a whole people is ruined? In addition to a thorough disorganization of everything in the beginning of the year, we have had the severest drouth this Summer known to the oldest inhabitant, followed by a great deal of rain at the present time.

Conflict of Authority in Florida.

The Tallahassee *Sentinel* of the 27th ult. contains a lengthy correspondence between the Mayor of that city and Maj.-Gen. FOSTER, upon the question of military and civil jurisdiction in certain cases—the former asserting the supremacy of civil law under the late proclamation of the President, and the latter taking the contrary position, upon the assumption that martial law is still supreme in that State:

It appears that several arrests were lately made by the Police of Tallahassee, and fines imposed upon officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, for alleged offences. Gen. FOSTER protested against the proceeding, and requested the Mayor to instruct the Police to take the names of any offending officer or soldier and forward the same to his headquarters, when the matter would be investigated, and if guilty the offenders would be punished. This the Mayor declined to do, upon the ground that martial law had been abrogated by the proclamation of the President, and all offences against the laws of the State fell properly under the judicial notice of the State tribunals.

Gen. FOSTER, in his rejoinder to the emphatic refusal of the Mayor to comply with his request, says:

"I am compelled to call your attention to the fact that military law is still supreme in this State, and I hereby forbid you to arrest, hereafter, any officer, enlisted man or employé in any of the departments of the United States Army while in the discharge of his official duties, but request that you will send me the name of any of them against whom complaint is made, for my investigation and award of punishment."

The Mayor replies again, and tells the General that he cannot revive martial law without denying the authority of the President to proclaim the restoration of peace and civil law; and that inasmuch as Gen. FOSTER had seriously impeded the course of public justice, he (the Mayor) would take the earliest opportunity of arraigning him before the civil tribunals of the State. Here the matter rests.

The assertion by Gen. FOSTER that martial rule still prevails in Florida is rather remarkable in view of the President's Proclamation of Aug. 20, declaring the cessation of martial law and the restoration of civil law in all the Southern States, and in the State of Florida by name.

Cotton Manufactories in Alabama.

From the Montgomery (Ala.) Mail, Oct. 2.

We are pleased to see that the attention of our people is being earnestly directed toward the erection of cotton factories. At Prattville, 14 miles from Montgomery, upon Swift Creek, the factory of Mr. DANIEL PRATT is already in operation, giving occupation to 350 laborers—men, women and children. On a mile above Prattville, upon the same creek, is the site of the new factory being established by our fellow-citizens, Messrs. MUNTER & FABER, the machinery for which has just been received from Liverpool. At Autaugaville, 25 miles from Montgomery, preparations are being made to resume operations at the factory upon Autauga Creek, and in a few weeks we may expect to hear the hum of the spindles. These three factories of Autauga, upon creeks employed, supply an unfailing water-power, will give employment to not less than 1,200 men, women and children. A company of capitalists is examining the Falls of the Coosa above Wetumpka, with a view to erect an extensive factory at that future Lowell of the South. This will be but the pioneer of others, for the situation at Wetumpka being once developed, nothing can prevent the village from becoming the manufacturing seat of Alabama. The admirable water power at Tallahassee has already invited the enterprise of a flourishing manufacturing company, which is at present increasing its machinery, and extending its sphere of usefulness and profit.

Crop Gathering in South Carolina—Military Orders to Prevent Stealing.

Gen. R. K. SCOTT, of the Department of South Carolina, has issued an order, stating that during the season for picking cotton and harvesting rice and corn, and until the crops shall have been prepared for market and divided among those who have produced them on shares, persons will not pe permitted to trade or barter in these products on the highways, commons, rivers, creeks or inlets of that District, without a written license from the Mayor, Intendent or other competent authority, countersigned by the commanding officer of the military post. Traders and peddlers may be treated as trespassers when found on plantations without the consent of the owners. Any one who shall purchase such products from persons employed on plantations, may be required, on complaint of any citizen, to produce satisfactory evidence to the post commander that all the parties interested have expressly consented to the sale; and in default thereof, such purchaser shall be guilty of receiving stolen goods, and punished accordingly.

Personal.

A letter from Lexington, Va., has the following respecting ROBERT E. LEE: "Gen. LEE lives a peaceful, cheerful, unobtrusive life among these mountains. LEE holds himself utterly aloof from the disputes and passions of the hour; and here is a proof: On Saturday night he was at Rockbridge Baths. Stalwart and erect as ever, white-haired and ruddy-hued; his eye still bright and kindly, as of old, he sat among the ladies of the neighborhood, chatting as any other man might do; but with him, with his past and present hanging about him, it seemed like the dead past holding converse with the muses. Presently there was the confusion of the nightly arrival from Richmond, an l one gentleman being acquainted with the General, greeted him, and after the common-places, tendered him the newspapers of the day. 'Thank you,' said LEE, 'but I never read any of them.' LEE lives here comfortably and calmly, with his family and many of his former friends around. His son, CUSTIS LEE, is a Professor in the Institute here, and his former Chief of Staff, Gen. PENDLETON, is the Episcopal clergyman of the town."

The New-Orleans *Times* says: "Capt. WILLIAM H. HALE, who commanded the *Portsmouth* at the time of the passage of the forts by Admiral FARRAGUT, and who earned most honorable mention on that as well as many other memorable occasions, arrived in this city last Sunday on the steamer *Mississippi*, accompanied by his lady, a daughter of the late eminent Dr. MCFARLANE. The Captain is on his way from Norfolk, Va., where for some time he was in command of the marine garrison, to Pensacola, to relieve the officer in command of the garrison at that post. Capt. H. is a gentleman of quiet, unobtrusive demeanor, who is certain to secure the friendship of all with whom he becomes acquainted. He will probably sojourn in the city for a week, and we take pleasure in commending him to the courtesy and hospitality of our citizens."

The Nashville *Dispatch* of Sept. 28 says: "J. NAPIER, Esq., a brother of Sir CHARLES NAPIER, is, with his family, stopping at the St. Cloud. This gentleman arr

an old hand at the shoplifting business, thinking there was little chance for her to escape on a trial, concluded to plead guilty to the charge in the indictment and thereby cut short her time in the State Prison. The man acted otherwise, supposing that the prosecution would hardly succeed in proving him guilty of the crime for which the woman had pleaded guilty. That was where he made the mistake, for the act of the woman was an argument with the Jury against the man. It was proved by Messrs. Black and Henriques, the witnesses, that both prisoners went into the store of Horace B. Claflin & Co., on the 16th of August, under the pretext of purchasing goods, and that they were seen to sneak away with twenty dozen Linen handkerchiefs and seven pieces of embroidered muslin, all of the value of $236. Then Officer Field, of the Fifth Precinct, who arrested them, found the stolen property in their possession. In addition to these facts the Court had information to the effect that Wilson had been convicted once before under the name of Charles Edmer or Edmer, and that the woman's real name was Lina Kleinschmidt. Both of these persons had been in the habit of visiting the store of H. B. Claflin & Co., and had stolen other goods at various times, some of which had been recovered from the receiver on the east side of the City. Adelaide, as she called herself, was sentenced to the State Prison for four years, and Charles was sentenced to the same retreat for five years, he having been convicted.

A COHERIVE DOMESTIC.

Mary Mai, a native of France, 26 years of age, and a domestic, pleaded guilty to petit larceny. It appeared that on the 8th of September she appropriated a number of shirts, pillow-cases and other articles, all of the value of $35, which belonged to Fanny Wagemy, of No. 218 William-street. She was remanded for sentence.

TWO YOUNG TINKERS.

Charles Brown, 19 years of age, and John Williamson, 20 years of age, pleaded guilty of burglary in the third degree. On the night of the 1st of September, they broke into the establishment of Mr. Albert G. Beamp, No. 597 and 599 Grand-street, by forcing open the shutters; they then carried away one hundred pounds of solder and fifteen brass cocks, all of the value of $90. Mr. Beamp addressed a letter to the District Attorney appealing for leniency for the prisoners, as he understood it was their first offence. The Court accordingly suspended sentence and discharged the prisoners.

Mr. Robert C. Hutchings, Assistant District Attorney, appearing for the people.

The following is the

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

The People vs. Wm. H. McGrory and James Tighe; robbery in first degree.

The People vs. James O'Brien; burglary in third degree.

The People vs. Louis Lovell and Thomas Dugan; grand larceny.

The People vs. John Vogel; felonious assault and battery.

The People vs. Philip Bredenugh; receiving stolen goods.

The People vs. James A. Larkin and George Price; grand larceny.

The People vs. Edward Welsh and John Worth; burglary in third degree.

The People vs. John Franchi; felonious assault and battery.

The People vs. Herman Jacobwitz and K. Guttmer; forgery.

The People vs. Trabella Goodwin; grand larceny of money.

The People vs. John Donovan, Patrick Conrey and Michael McGovern; robbery in first degree.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—OCT. 8, 1866.

$2,000 U. S. 6s, '71C....	110	5 Amer. Ex Co.....	100
5,000 U. S. 6s, 5-20s, Cou.	113¼	100 At. Mail S. Co.....	113¼
10,000 U. S. 6s, '81, C....	113½	100 Cen. Am. Tran.....	20
32,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'62	115	471 New-York Cen.....	112¾
5,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'64	110¾	400 do.....c	112¾
25,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'65	110¾	400 do.....c	113
15,000 U. S. 6s, 10-40 C..	99¾	200 do.....c	113¼
5,000 do.....c	99¾	100 do.....c	113¾
1,000 Tr. Notes, 7 3-10s.		100 do.....2d call	113¾
First Ser.....	108¼	200 do.....s30	113
1,000 do.....Small	108¾	22 Mil. & P. du C. 2d P.	85
32,000 do.....3d Ser.	108¾	do.....b30	87
6,500 do.....Last P.	108¾	400 M. & St. L. 1st P.	80
500 do.....c	108¾	300 Erie R.....c	39¾
12,000 do.....3d Ser.	108¾	700 do.....c	39
2,000 N. Y. St. 6s, '72..	103	200 do.....c	39
1,000 Tenn. 6s '70..	94½	200 do.....c	39¼
11,000 Tenn. St. 6s, N..	72	200 do.....c	39¼
1,000 do.....c	72¾	100 do.....s3	39¼
2,000 Virginia 6s.....c	45¾	100 do.....c	39¼
5,000 N. Car. N. 6s....	63¾	100 do.....c	39¼
4,000 do.....c	64	400 do.....c	39¼
1,000 do.....c	63¾	400 do.....c	54¾
25,000 N. Car. 6s.....c	63¾	100 do.....c	39¼
4,000 Cal. 7s.....c	116	200 do.....s3	39¼
2,000 Missouri 6s.....	79¼	100 Erie R. Pr.....	80
21,000 do.....c	80	5 N. Y. & N. H. R....	112
5,000 Erie 2d M.....	89¼	200 Reading R.....s10	115¼
2,000 P. Ft. W. & C.2d.	88½	200 do.....c	45¾
1,000 Mil. & St. P. 1st M.	91	100 Mich. Cen. R.....	113
238,000 U. S. 6s, '81, Cer....	33	100 Mich. S. & N. I.....	87¾
6,000 do.....c	87¾	do.....c	87¾
28,000 do.....c	87¾	300 do.....c	87¾
10,000 do.....c	32¾	800 do.....c	87¾
10,000 do.....b30	33	100 do.....c	87¾
10,000 Ohio & M. C. Pf	80	100 do.....2d call	87¾
24 Merchants' Bank...	116	100 Ill. Central R.....	126¾
200 Bank of Commerce..	120	200 Chi. & N. W.....	42¾
10 Hanover Bank.....	111	6.0 do.....c	42¾
10 Del. & Hud. Canal.	153	200 do.....c	42¾
200 Cum. Coal P.....	54¾	800 do.....b15	42¾
1200 West. U. Tel.....	55	100 Chi. & N. W. P.....	72¾
24 do.....s3	54¾	40 do.....c	72¾
17 West. U. Tel. Rus. Extension.....	98	400 Chic. & R. I.....	106
100 Wilkesbarre Coal..	62	100 do.....c	106¾
100 Quick. Min.....	55¾	80 New-Jersey C.....	129
300 Mar. Min Co.....	13¾	50 do.....c	129¾
800 Mar. Min. Pro.....	28	550 P., Ft. W. & C.....	106
100 do.....b30	28	100 do.....c	106¾
400 do.....c	27½	100 do.....c	107¾
200 Union Nav. Co.....	110	200 Tel., W. & W.....	44
300 do.....c	109¾		

1 O'CLOCK BOARD.

$103,000 U.S.6s,5-20s'62	112¾	100 West. U. Tel.....	54¾
1,500 do.....c	113¾	50 Reading R.....c	115¾
150,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'64	110¾	100 Chic. & R. I.....	106¾
140,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'65	110¾	10 N. Y. Cen.....	113¼
1,000 do.....c	110¾	100 do.....c	113½
288,000 U.S.6s,10-40s,C.	99¾	100 Erie R.....c	39¾
20,000 N. Y. St. 6s, '75..	93	300 do.....c	39
21,000 Virginia 6s.....	69	600 M. S. & N. I.....	88¼
10,000 Cal. 7s, Coup....	115¾	600 do.....c	88
16,000 do.....c	33¾	750 Chic. & N. W. P.	43¾
300 Cum. Coal.....	54¾	200 Chic. & N. W. P.	73
100 Quick. Min. Co....	54	200 Cleve. & Tol.....	122¼
100 Mariposa Pref.....	28¼		

2½ O'CLOCK BOARD.

$15,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,C.'65.	110¾	100 N. Y. Cen.....	114¾
1,000 do.....c	110¾	800 do.....c	114¾
16,000 U. S.6s,5-20s,C.'65		200 Reading R.....s30	115
New Issue....	109¾	1400 M. So. & N. I.....	88¼
210,000 U.S.6s,10-40s, C.	99¾	100 do.....c	88¼
2,000 T. Notes, 7 3-10s		100 Ill. Cen. R.....	127¼
First Ser.....	108¾	100 do.....c	127¼
20,000 do.....2d Ser.	108¾	200 Clev. & Tol.....	122¼
10,000 Missouri 6s.....	80	800 Chic. & N. W.....	42¾
150,000 O. & M. Cer....	34½	600 do.....c	43¾
1,000 do.....c		200 Chi. & N. W. P.	73¾
2,000 Tenn. 6s '90..	94¼	1200 do.....c	73¾
20 Merchants' Bank..	116	1900 do.....s30	73¼
100 Cum. Coal.....	54¾	200 P., Ft. W. & C.....	108¾
4,000 Quick. Min. Co....	55¾	300 do.....c	108¾
100 do.....c	54	200 do.....c	108¾
87 West. U. Tel.....	54¾	100 do.....s10	108¾
100 do.....c	54¾	1200 do.....c	108¾
76 do.....c	54¾	50 C., Bur. & Quin....	103¾
200 At. Mail S. Co.....	112	5-0 Mil. & St. P. Pr	73¾
300 Erie Railroad.....	39½	100 Chic. & Alt.....	110½

OPEN BOARD—10 A. M.

$130,000 Ohio & M. C....	33	600 Mich. S. & N. I....	87¾
26,000 do.....b30	33¾	600 do.....ss	87¾
50,000 do.....c	33½	100 do.....s10	87¾
10,000 do.....s30	33	600 do.....c	87¾
100 Quicksilver.....b3	54	100 do.....b10	87¾
10 do.....b3	54	200 do.....c	87¾
100 Mar. Pref.....	29	100 do.....s15	87¾
200 do.....c	28½	200 do.....b3	87¾
200 do.....c	28½	100 do.....c	87¾
100 do.....s15	28	400 Clev. & Tol.....	122¾
100 do.....s3	28¼	400 Clev. & Pitts.....	88¾
100 West. U. Tel.....	54¾	100 Chi. R. I. & P....	106¾
100 do.....s10	54¾	100 Chi. & N. W.....	43¾
100 do.....s10	54¾	200 do.....s3	43¾
200 N. Y. Central.....	113	200 do.....b10	43¾
100 do.....s3	113¾	200 do.....c	43¾
200 do.....c	113¾	100 do.....s10	43¾
100 do.....b10	113¾	100 do.....2d call	87¾
100 Ill. Cen. R.....	127	100 do.....b10	43¾
100 do.....s3	127¼	200 do.....s3	43¾
200 Erie Railroad.....c	39½	200 Chic. & N. W. P.	73¾
100 do.....c	39¾		

OPEN BOARD—3 P. M.

$10,000 O. & M. C....b10	34½	200 Mich. S. & N. I....	88¼
30,000 do.....c	34½	600 do.....c	88¾
20,000 do.....b10	34½	100 do.....s15	88¾
10,000 do.....s30	33½	200 do.....b30	88¾
20,000 do.....s3	34	100 do.....s10	88¾
100 Cumb. Coal.....	55¼	300 do.....c	88¾
100 do.....c	56	600 do.....c	88¾
50 do.....c	56¾	400 Chi. R. I. & P....	107
2.0 do.....c	56½	200 do.....b3	107¼
200 do.....s3	56¼	1.0 do.....b3	107¾
100 do.....b4	56¾	300 do.....b3	107¾
110000 do.....c	34	100 Mich. Cen.....	114
100 Mar. Min. Co.....	125½	200 Cleve. & Tol.....	122¾
100 West. U. Tel.....	55	400 Chic. & N. W.....	44
100 do.....s15	54¾	300 do.....c	44¼
500 New-York Cen.....	113	200 do.....b3	44¾
300 do.....c	113¼	200 do.....s3	44¾
200 do.....s3	113	200 do.....c	44¾
400 Erie R.....c	84¼	200 Chic. & N. W. Pr....	74
1.0 do.....s5	84	100 do.....c	73¾
300 do.....c	84	100 do.....s10	73¾
200 do.....c	84¾	100 do.....b10	73¾
500 Reading R.....c	115¾	200 do.....s3	73¾
400 do.....s10	115¾	300 P., Ft. W. & C.....	109
200 do.....s10	115¾	100 do.....s10	108¾
400 do.....c	115¾	200 do.....b3	109¼
100 do.....b3	116	400 do.....b3	109¼
100 Ill. Cen. R.....	127¾		

MONDAY, Oct. 8—P. M.

The weekly averages of the associated Local and National Banks in the Clearing-house of this City, for the week ending Saturday last Oct. 6, compare as follows with the previous week, and with the corresponding week last year; to which we add the specie and currency balances in the New-York office of the United States Treasury at these dates, respectively:

	Oct. 6, 1866.	Oct. 6, 1866.	Sept. 29, 1865.
Loans and Discounts	$89,482,254	$89,482,254	$89,482,254
Loans to United States	11,938,000	11,938,000	11,938,000
Legal-Tender Notes and Gold	6,927,389	6,927,389	6,927,389
Banking-house	900,000	900,000	900,000
Due from Banks and Bank Notes	974,709	974,709	974,709
Current expenses	95,815	95,815	95,815
Total	$110,317,167	$110,317,167	$110,317,167
Decrease in Specie			$4,808,773
Decrease in Deposits			1,440,262
Decrease in Legal-Tenders			8,147,653
Decrease in Legal-Tender and Increase in Circulation			3,498,345
			88,406
	Oct. 6, 1866.	Oct. 6, 1866.	Sept. 29, 1865.
Local Capital	$9,478,500	$9,262,500	$9,262,500
National	71,707,200	73,307,700	73,307,700
Total in C. H	$80,186,200	$82,570,200	$82,570,200
Loans	228,620,726	274,210,161	309,807,383
Specie	13,470,134	6,203,893	7,643,950
Deposits	188,804,462	225,484,370	225,306,728
Legal-Tender	58,511,762	55,339,679	37,826,021
In Sub-Tres'y	69,996,621	90,986,601	97,842,631

The National Bank circulation reported through the Clearing-house, is as follows:

Merchants'	$627,185	Mercantile	$482,310
Mech. Exchange	454,051	Republic	557,980
Commerce	4,509,090	St. Nicholas	757,678
Ocean	796,972	Marine	256,000
Market	504,800	East River	268,500
Park	1,000,000	Second	270,000
Fourth	2,236,355	Continental	550,838
Central	1,620,000	Importers'	506,838
Mechanics'	826,439	Ninth	945,585
New-York	795,267	First	447,150
Mr. Association	307,750	Am. Exchange	1,036,045
Metropolitan	1,114,259	Gallatin	499,140
Commonwealth	212,937	Citizens'	131,807
Leather	168,500	Union	447,781
N. America	822,617	Chatham	131,085
Irving	196,180	Shoe & Leather	898,000
Tradesmen's	265,625	Hanover	293,287
Phenix	292,900	N. Y. Exchange	268,196
Third	797,021	Mechanics & T	105,000
Butchers & D	241,530	Atlantic	95,500
Seventh Ward	174,172	Pacific	126,542
Broadway	900,000	Grocers'	76,500
Tenth	212,900		
Total 45 National Banks			$29,195,441
Total 18 other National and Local Banks			176,917
Total on Clearing-house report, Oct. 6			$29,302,358
On previous report, Sept. 29			29,213,950
Increase in circulation			$88,408

The increase of Currency Deposits on the present Bank Statement is $6,587,843, and the falling off in Specie Deposits of $1,440,262. The Banks were able to increase their Loans last week about four and a half millions. The decrease in Legal Tender Notes, chiefly by transmission to the West, is about two and a half millions. While the Banks are nearly a million and a half lower in their Specie balances, the Treasury Office gains on the week nearly three millions, including the deposits of Foreign and California Gold made in exchange for Gold Notes.

The present week opens with an easy Money market, and an advance in the Funds of the United States of ⅛@¼ ℔ cent. on nearly all descriptions. The demand was large for the 5-20s of 1862, chiefly from foreign parties, and it was also active for the other Gold-bearing Bonds, for domestic employment or speculation. The 7-30 Currency Notes were also ⅛@¼ ℔ cent. higher than on Saturday, and Compound Interest Notes 102@102⅛ ℔ cent., and accumulated interest. The rates for Money to the leading Stock Brokers are 4@5 ℔ cent., and to the Discount Brokers on select short paper, 5@6 ℔ cent. ℔ annum.

A close corner was made upon the *shorts* in the Gold Room, and ⅛@1 ℔ cent. paid for the rise of Gold until to-morrow. The actual sales for cash were at 149⅛@150@150¼ ℔ cent., and for Tuesday's delivery 149@149⅛ ℔ cent. The extravagant differences thus paid either to close up or carry over *short* accounts have brought the Exchange market to a dead lock. Bills on London, first-class Brokers, were scarcely salable at 107 ℔ cent., and Merchant bills were done at lower and more irregular figures. Both the Export and Import trades find the present condition of things in the Gold Room a great nuisance. The first cannot *sell* their Exchange drawn against the shipments of Domestic Produce, nor the last *buy* Exchange to pay for Foreign Merchandise without sacrificing 1@2 ℔ cent. on the conversion of Gold, the Exchanges being settled for exclusively in Gold.

At the close of regular 'Change hours this afternoon the quotation for Bankers' bills on London cannot be called higher than 106¼ ℔ cent., and Merchants' bills 105@105⅛ ℔ cent. The price of Gold for Tuesday's delivery is about 149 ℔ cent., while 150@150¼ ℔ cent. was paid to settle contracts due at 2:30 P. M. to-day. The Customs demand for Gold was half a million.

The Funds are still higher than in the forenoon. The 5-20s of 1862 are 113⅛@¼; 6 ℔ cents. of 1881, 112¾; 5-20s of 1865, May and November, 110½; 5-20s Consolidated of 1865, July and January, 108¾; 7-30s, First Series, convertible into the Consolidated 5-20s of 1865, 106¼, and Compound Legal Tender 6 ℔ cent. Notes 102¼@103 ℔ cent. and accrued interest. The day's market, altogether, for the Funds of the United States, is the stiffest reported for a fortnight past.

The Railway speculation on the Stock Exchange was very much excited on Erie Common Stock, on a decided break-down in prices. The sales before the early Board were as high as 92 ℔ cent., cash. The lowest of the day were 88 ℔ cent., a difference of 9 ℔ cent. in a few hours. The belief on the Street is that Mr. DREW and his friends have secured all the Stock and Proxies necessary to vote themselves in for another year to-morrow. They started with 58,000 shares belonging to the Company, (on which they will no doubt be suffered to vote,) and we do not hear that anything like a common understanding or cooperation has taken place among the opponents of the old Administration to present a ticket against them. Whether the present speculation in the Stock is to end with this result remains to be seen.

The Erie movement ceased to lead the general Railway list after 12 o'clock to-day. New-York Central, Reading and nearly the whole Western list cut loose from it later in the day, and advanced above the closing prices of Saturday. The market was especially strong at the Afternoon Boards, and later in the Long Room of the Stock Exchange Building, and the speculation was quite as animated as at any time last week. At 5 o'clock P. M. the following quotations were made as compared with Saturday afternoon. The Railways left off buoyant and near the Funds of the United States firm.

	Sat.	Mond.		Sat.	Mond.
U. S. 10-40s	99¼	99¾	Northwest	43¾	44¼
U. S. 5-20s	113⅛	113¾	N. West Pref	72¾	73¾
U. S. 6 '81s	106¾	106¾	Rock Island	106¾	107¼
U. S. 7-30s	108¾	108¾	N. Y. Central	112¾	113
Erie	88	89	Cumb'land Coal	54¾	54¾
Hudson	122¾	121½	Quicksilver	54¾	54¾
Reading	115¾	116¾	W. U. Telegraph	54¾	54¾
Mich. Southern	87¾	88¾	Mariposa Pref	28¼	28¾
Illinois Central	127¾	127¾	Ohio Certificates	33¾	34
Pittsburgh	86¾	86¾	American Gold	149¾	149¾
Tennessee 6s	72¼	72¾	Bills on London	107¼	106¾

The following bids were made for the City Bank Shares:

New-York	121	Irving	105
Manhattan	132	Citizens'	130
Mechanics'	117	Nassau	105
America	137½	Corn Exchange	115
Phœnix	106	St. Nicholas	106½
Butchers & Drovers	120	Commonwealth	106
State of New-York	113	Manuf's & Merchants	104
Commerce	120	Central National	115
Broadway Exchange	113	First National	117
Chatham	140	Fourth National	108
Bank of N. America	110	Ninth National	115½
Hanover	110¾	Oriental Bank	125

The day's business at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of the United States was as follows: Receipts, $4,810,138 96; including for Customs, $490,000; Coin Notes, $401,000. Payments, $3,415,061 94. Balance, $91,683,678 43.

And the following for the Railway mortgages:

N. Y. Cen 6s. 1863	95	Tol. & Wab. 2d M.	80
N. Y. Cen. 6s. 1867	94	Ill. & So. Iowa 2d M.	70
N. Y. Cen. 7s. '76	104	Gal. & Chi. 2d M.	98
Erie 1s, 2d mort., 1879	101	N. J. Central 1st M.	102½
Erie 7s, 3d mort., 1883	99	N. J. Central 2d M.	103
Buf. N. Y. & E. 1st M. '77	94	Pitts. Ft. W. & Ch. 1st M.	108
Mich. Cen. 1st M. 8s. '62	108	Pitts. Ft. W. & Ch. 2d M.	96
Ch. R. & Q. 8 p. c. 1st M.	113	Pitts. Ft. W. & Ch. 3d M.	89
Mich. So. & N. I. 2d M.	95	Cleve. & P. 2d M.	90
Mich. S. & N. I. S. F. Y'ds	90	Cleve. & P. 3d Con.	80
Alton & T. H. 1st M.	91	Cleve. & P. 4th mort.	75
Alton & T. H. 2d M. pf.	82	Miss. & Mo. L'd G't 1st M.	64
Alton & T. H. 2d M. in.	78	Chic. & Alton. S. F.	100
Chi. & N. W. In't S.	89½	Mil. & St. Paul 1st M.	91
Chi. & N. W. Ex'n B.	81	Marietta & Cin. 1st M.	87
Chi. & N. W. 1st M.	87	Chi. & Mil. 1st mort.	94
Cons. 7 ℔ c. conv.	86	McGregor West. 1st M.	68
Del. L. & W. 1st M.	99	Chi. & Gt. E. 1st M.	64
Del. L. & W. 2d M.	100		

The Trustees to the Land Grant Mortgage of the Hannibal and St. Joseph Road advertise their readiness to purchase $40,000 of the Bonds at the cheapest offers for the Sinking Fund. See notice in another column.

The quarterly report to the National Banking Bureau at Washington of the National Bank of Commerce, in New-York, shows the following results:

Loans and Discounts	$8,482,254
Loans to United States	11,938,000
Legal-Tender Notes and Gold	6,927,389
Banking-house	900,000
Due from Banks and Bank Notes	974,709
Current expenses	95,815
Total	$27,887,637
On Capital	$10,000,000
Profits	2,983,641
Circulation	4,430,060
Deposits, less Cash items	10,436,684
Dividends unpaid	37,252—$27,887,637

Speculations About the Cotton Crop.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

On this subject we have first the English Dr. FORBES, with his two bales to the acre, instead of two acres to the bale, and nobody in England seems to have known enough about it to correct his blunder. Then comes from the South, passing through the Post-office, letters as numerous as "leaves in Vallambrosa," reporting ruin and destruction to the crops. Next, the newspapers are flooded with letters, nearly every one of which convicts its author either of ignorance or insincerity. One writer states that the crop of Texas is not much injured after all, and estimates it at 125,000 bales. Another says it is half destroyed, and estimates it at 300,000 bales. Another writer describes the whole country swarming with worms, and says he smelt them in riding along the roads. I know some people laugh at this, but the man who does so would be the first to assert that he himself "smelt a rat." Then comes a rumor, whispered in great confidence, that there is an estimate of crop coming out from the Freedmen's Bureau, at least as formidable as Secretary MCCULLOCH's of last year. Lastly, there was a long letter in the TIMES a few days since estimating the crop at 700,000 bales, and giving name and references. This is what they call down South "piling up the agony."

I now propose to furnish the public with the means of taking the latitude and perhaps the longitude also; we already know very well how the wind blows. By furnishing the number of bales in each crop for 20 years before the war, it will be seen what the full extent of the power of its element is. We know that at least half the crops of the South have been always almost totally destroyed. A crop reduced one-half or two-thirds, if rumor be true, is a very common thing. The following figures will show exactly what this means. I use the tables of Messrs NEILL BROS.:

1840	1,684,945	1850	2,355,257
1841	1,684,311	1851	3,015,029
1842	2,378,875	1852	3,262,802
1843	2,030,409	1853	2,930,027
1844	2,394,503	1854	2,847,339
1845	2,100,537	1855	3,527,845
1846	1,778,651	1856	2,939,519
1847	2,947,634	1857	3,113,962
1848	2,728,596	1858	3,851,481
1849	2,096,706	1859	4,675,770

Two facts will be observed in the above figures: First, that only one crop in twenty years has fallen short of an average as much as 20 per cent.; second, every established advance in the market value of cotton was immediately followed by a large increase in the production. The worst season we have ever had was 1846, but even the short crop of that year was in part attributable to extremely low prices the previous season, and partly to the war with Mexico, which produced intense excitement in the South. The next remarkably short crop was grown in 1849. In that year there was a killing frost on the 20th of April, and much of the crop had to be replanted under great difficulties.

The above facts will be valuable to those who have an interest in knowing the truth. Just now there is a combination of powerful interests in favor of underestimating the crop. Like gold bulls, who for some months past seem to have edited most of the newspapers, are all short crop men. I do not enter at all upon the question of damage to the present crop. It is not yet time to estimate the crop, and I doubt whether any man experienced in such matters, unless carried away by excitement, would publish an estimate sooner than November. Even at that rate, the above statement may be useful to the public. Everybody knows how this thing worked last year. Before the termination of the war the general opinion North and South was that there were about three million bales in the country, which ultimately proved to be correct.

The New-England spinners put out an estimate soon after the war of two and a half millions, and perhaps three. As soon as speculators began to operate, estimates went down. The spinners sent agents into the South to count the bales. The Treasury agents also made most minute calculations. The former returning 1,200,000 and the latter 1,500,000, thus showing the singular quality in cotton, perhaps owing to its dazzling whiteness, that the more closely a man looks into it the less he sees. CAUTION.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

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GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Oct. 8, 1866.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce since our last have been 6 bbls. Ashes, 8,380 bbls. Flour, 80 bags Corn Meal, 14,082 bushels Wheat, 156,736 bushels Corn, 8,462 bushels Rye, 30,945 bushels Barley, 38,573 bushels Oats, 508 bbls. Pork, 133 pkgs. Lard, and 779 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Have been in moderate demand, including Pots at $9 50@$9 75, and Pearls at $12 50@$12 75 ℔ 100 lbs.

BEESWAX—Continues in moderate request at 40c. @42c. for Yellow ℔ lb.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Have been in lively request at extreme prices for the more seasonable styles, especially of heavy stock, including Men's Thick and Kip Boots, $3 50@$5 50; Boys', $2 25@$3 75; Youths', $2@$2 75; Men's Calf Pegged Boots, $4@$6; Men's Calf Sewed Boots, $5@$7; Boys' Calf Pegged Boots, $3@$4; Youths', $2@$3; Men's Kip Brogans, $1 25@$2; Men's Split Brogans, $1 10@$1 75; Boys' Kip and Split Brogans, $1@$1 50; Youths', 70c.@$1 12½c.; Men's Kip and Split Balmorals, $1 75@$2 50; Men's Buff and Calf Balmorals, $1 75@$3; Men's Buff and Calf Congress, $2 25@$3 25; Boys' Buff and Calf Balmorals, $1 25@$2; Youths' $1@$1 70; Women's Kip and Split Boots, $1 10@$1 75; Women's Calf Goat and Split Boots, $1 85@$2 37; Women's Kip and Split Balmorals, $1 60@$1 85; Women's Calf, Goat and Kid Balmorals, $1 75@$2 75; Women's Sewed Balmorals, $2@$3; Misses', $1 50@$2 25; Misses' Pegged, $1 25@$1 60; Children's Sewed, $1 10@$1 75; Children's Pegged, 90c.@$1 25; Ladies' Kip Made Gaiters, $2@$3; Ladies' Waxers Made, $1 25@$3; Misses' City Made, $1 90@$2 50; Misses' Eastern Made, $1@$1 55; Children's Gaiters and Fancy, 70c.@$2 ℔ pair.

BRICKS—Have been in active demand, at $11@$12 for Common Hard; $16@$17 for Croton, and $40@ 45 for Philadelphia, ℔ thousand.

CANDLES—Are in less demand at 40c. for plain Sperm, 50c. for Patent Sperm, and 22c.@23c. for Adamantine (light weights) ℔ lb.

CEMENT—Continues in moderate demand at $1 75 for Rosendale, ℔ bbl.

COAL—Has been in fair demand, at former rates. The Pottsville Miners' Journal, of Saturday, reports: The quantity sent by railroads this year is 21,017 18; by Canal, 21,992 14; for the week, 74,010 12 tons against 121,761 tons for the corresponding week last year. The trade sums up this week as follows, compared with last year:

	1866. Week.	1866. Total.	1866. Week.	1866. Total.	In A.D.
P. & R. R. R.	80,230	2,198,501	62,018	2,926,563	728,061
Schuylkill Canal	41,231	609,416	21,993	1,029,825	330,449
L. Valley R. R.	46,804	1,186,271	33,979	1,438,091	301,130
Lehigh Nav. Co.	74,533	1,535,533	39,541	1,775,634	167,101
Scranton South	3,993	470,813	23,488	796,370	325,557
Scranton North	3,689	137,113	2,772	217,466	180,353
Penn. C. Co.					
By Railroad		346 603	19,783	299,021	647,642
By Canal	462	22,945	525	18,979	43,986
Delaware & Hud. Wyoming South	17,674	463,838	34,224	1,011,048	547,209
Wyoming North		87,853		350,276	262,423
Shamokin	4,940	358,973	10,444	422,431	63,458
Trevorton	241	18,636	1,057	41,352	22,716
Short Mount	4,141	41,961	2,443	75,961	34,020
Franklin County		36,628		32,747	d5,878
Broad Top		238,699		179,621	d41,071
Total	280,592	6,771,475	298,668	9,806,080	

COFFEE—Rio is in good request at full rates, and other kinds are quiet. Javas at 26½c.@26c.; Native Ceylon, 19c.@21c.; Maracaibo, 17½c.@20c.; Laguayra, 17½c.@19¼c.; Rio, 17c.@19¼c., and St. Domingo, 16½c.@17c., in gold, ℔ lb.

DRY GOODS—The Dry Goods Exchange report to-day, has been as follows: *Jobbers' Prices*—Brown Sheetings—Appleton, A, 23½c.; Atlantic, N, 15½c.; Bark, 17½c. Bleached Shirtings—Lonsdale, 34c.; Forrestdale, 32c.; Reynolds, A A, 24c.; Prints—Sprague, 20c.; Amoskeag, 18c.; Arnolds, 17½c.; Freeman, 17c. Hoop Skirts—Bradley's Duplex Elliptic and Empress Trail, prices unchanged; Meyers IXL, 1¼-inch tapes, $48@73. Shirts—J. W. L., Standard Dress, No. 210, $27; J. W. L., Standard Dress, No. 450, $37 50. Paper Collars—Metropolitan Collar Company, Byron Garrote, No. 1, No. 20, Enameled, French Enameled, and Silver Corrugated, $10@$35; Goldsmith Patent, Byron, $30, Shakespeare, $40; Cuffs, $50, less 20 ℔ cent. Ticks—Pearl River, 87½c.; Methuen, AA, 47½c.; Franklin, 33½c. Stripes—Amoskeag, 37½c.; Haymaker, 28c.

COTTON—Has been in more demand to-day, closing rather more firmly, with less eagerness on the part of holders to realize. Middling grades ranged from 37c.@40c., chiefly at 38c.@39c., ℔ lb. Sales and resales since our last 1,830 bales, against receipts of 15 bales.

Movements in Cotton at this Port.

	Bales.
Receipts since Oct. 1, 1866	6,812
Receipts in September, 1866	27,798
Receipts since Jan. 1, 1866	466,754
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1866	866,575
Exports in September	21,474

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, TUESDAY, OCT. 9, 1866.

Amusements this Evening.

WINTER GARDEN.
Broadway, between Bleecker and Amity sts.
THIS EVENING, commencing at 8 o'clock, ADRIENNE LECOUVREUR. Characters by Messrs. Jean Davenport, J. H. Taylor, Leffingwell, W. Davidge, J. Deal, Miss Monck, Miss E. Johnson, Miss Andrews.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

GENERAL NEWS.

Our dispatches from Savannah, Ga., bring intelligence of a sad marine disaster, accompanied with fearful loss of life. The steamer *Evening Star*, of the New-York Mail Steamship Company, which sailed from this port on Saturday, 29th ult., with about 250 passengers and a crew of 50 men, foundered off Tybee, (date not mentioned,) and nearly all on board were lost.

A Washington dispatch states that the Paris letter about the withdrawal of MAXIMILIAN, is probably without the slightest foundation, as from the latest semi-official advices from both France and Mexico, there was no thought of any such intention. The French Ambassador to Washington is well and regularly informed upon all that is transpiring in this Mexican business, and rumor says he pronounces all reports about the speedy downfall of the Mexican Empire as very erroneous. The Empress CARLOTTA, of Mexico, will be accompanied on her return by Gen. URAGA.

A Washington dispatch to the Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "Gen. HOWARD has ordered the rents that have accrued upon the property of JOSEPH E. DAVIS, brother of JEFFERSON DAVIS, to be paid to him from and since the date of his pardon papers, which were issued on the 26th of March last, but not forwarded to him until early in September. The value of these rents is not far from $20,000 per annum; so that, in effect, DAVIS receives probably as full, or nearly as full an equivalent, as if the property itself had been fully restored to him. The question of the restoration of this property has been before Gen. HOWARD for some time, but he prefers that another, and not himself, shall order its restitution. I am told that the property of JEFFERSON DAVIS is also included in the amount held or claimed by his brother, one title covering the whole."

In the United States Circuit Court, at Chicago, on Friday, the case of GERRITT SMITH *vs.* The Chicago *Tribune* Company, an action for an alleged libel, came up on a demurrer to the plaintiff's declaration, which was argued by WIRT DEXTER, Esq., and JOHN VAN ARMAN for defendant, and by W. W. FARWELL, Esq., for plaintiff. The alleged libel was contained in an editorial article, published June 13, 1865, which, as the plaintiff alleges, charged, among other things, that he aided and abetted JOHN BROWN in the commission of wrongful and criminal acts at Harper's Ferry, and that on the arrest of BROWN, the plaintiff, in order to avoid arrest and punishment, feigned insanity, and fled to and took refuge in a lunatic asylum.

The New-Haven *Courier* mentions a most brutal case of rape on Friday evening, on the person of a woman residing in that city, apparently about 60 years of age. She states that she called at a saloon and took a glass of beer, and that when she went out she was followed by three men, who forced her to go with them over Barnesville Bridge, where they in turn violated her person. One of the parties, MICHAEL DONAHUE, has been arrested.

A woman, about 24 years of age, appeared at a station-house in Washington, on Saturday evening, and gave her name as JENNY LOCKWOOD, recently a private soldier in company B, Second Michigan Infantry. She said that her home was in Flint, Michigan, and that she was now sick and without a home. A permit was procured from Major B. B. FRENCH, and she was taken to Providence Hospital.

The Second Comptroller of the Treasury has decided that hernia or the breaking of a limb are wounds within the meaning of the act of July 28, 1866, when incurred in consequence of the performance of military duty, if they are of sufficient gravity to cause the soldier's discharge; but concussion of the brain cannot be considered a wound.

The Springfield *Republican* says a couple of young Boston ladies attending school at the Wesleyan Academy, at Wilbraham, who had often been reproved for wrong doing, were expelled the first of last week, and deeply feeling their shame and disgrace, took each a dose of laudanum, and came near dying.

Mrs. DEBORAH SAUNDERS, of Gloucester, Mass., was a century old, on Thursday. She is in good health, reads the newspapers without the aid of glasses, and has knit stockings and worked for the soldiers of the revolution, the war of 1812, and the rebellion.

It is reported that a match race of five miles, for a large amount, has been made between WALTER BROWN, of Portland, Me., the Champion oarsman, and MCKAY, of New York State, to be pulled at Newburgh, on the Hudson, during the present Autumn.

At a fire in London, Ohio, on Thursday morning, a venerable negro, called "Old Derrick," rushed into one of the burning buildings, and brought out a keg of powder.

By direction of the President, the *Missouri Democrat* and the *Evening News*, published in St. Louis, have been removed from the advertising list of the War Department.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. CRAWFORD, of this City, has recently commenced a suit in the Supreme Court of this District against her husband, SAMUEL CRAWFORD, for the purpose of obtaining a separation on the ground of cruel treatment. A motion was made yesterday for an order of reference, and for alimony pending the litigation. Counsel for defendant said that the affidavits showed there were six children; that the wife and mother had left them, and the husband, on only $100 per month, had to provide for them. The plaintiff insists she cannot live with him by reason of his bad conduct. The Court granted a reference to take proofs and report the facts.

Two decrees of divorce were granted yesterday in the Supreme Court, Justice CLERKE presiding. The titles and substance of the decrees are as follows: FRANCIS A. HARMANCE *vs.* KATE M. HARMANCE; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted. The custody of the child, KATY A. HARMANCE, is awarded to the plaintiff. CHARLES COLTON *vs.* MARIA COLTON; the report of the referee is confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted. The custody of the children is awarded to the plaintiff.

The Fall season at the Paterson race-course will commence to-day, with a race for the Underwood Gift of $300. Some of the best racing stock of the country will contend for the stakes. The races will last three days, during which time several of the horses which created such a sensation at Jerome Park last week will display their powers. The races promise to be the best had on this track in many years.

A breach of promise case of some interest came up yesterday in the Supreme Court, Chambers, on a motion to open a default. The parties to the suit are AMELIA A. HIGGINS against WM. A. RUSSELL. The Court directed the default to be opened, the cause placed on the Circuit calendar, and tried at an early day. Some of the facts have been published in the TIMES.

The Board of Aldermen yesterday adopted a resolution tendering the congratulations of our citizens to Mr. CYRUS W. FIELD on the completion of the Atlantic Telegraph. The report of the Special Committee on widening Fifth-avenue was referred to a Committee of the Whole. Adjourned to Monday next.

The opening exercises of the thirty-seventh session of the College of Pharmacy were held last evening in the chapel of the University, JOHN MILNAU, Esq., in the chair. Rev. ISAAC FERRIS, LL.D., opened the proceedings with prayer, and Dr. BARNARD addressed the students.

At the Radical Primaries held in the several Assembly Districts last evening, delegates were elected to the Congressional, Assembly, Judiciary and County Conventions. Little excitement prevailed at the polls, and there was scarcely any opposition to the regular tickets.

It is rumored that LEONARD W. JEROME, Esq., has just purchased the famous race-horse *Kentucky*, for the sum of $40,000. The horse, it is believed, will be withdrawn from the turf, and kept for the private use of his new owner.

A Radical Republican meeting was held at Lattimer Hall, Brooklyn, last evening, at which addresses were made by Col. TILGHMAN, of Tennessee, Lieut.-Gov. ALLORD and Judge HASKELL.

The Presbytery of New-York met in the Fortieth-street Church last evening. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. SCOTT. Rev. Mr. ROWELL was elected next Moderator.

Business in domestic produce yesterday was quite moderate, at irregular prices. Foreign merchandise was stiffly held, and was not in very active request. The freight market was quiet.

Trade at the Cattle Markets, yesterday, dragged heavily. The prices for the different grades of beef is evidently tending downwards. Business commenced with slow sales, at about the same figures which represented the prices of beef last week; but before night it was quite apparent that the trade was more in favor of purchasers than those who had beef cattle to sell. The arrivals are fully equal to the demand; and a large number of the weekly supply of beef cattle consisted of quite inferior, rough and common cattle, all of which must be sold at low figures, as butchers will not pay 18c. per lb. for a bullock that is worth only 14c. A desperate effort was made by brokers and drovers to hold the prices up to the high figures of months past; but they will doubtless be compelled to yield, unless the future supply should be much too light for the demand. Cows and calves are not offered in large numbers; and the demand for such arrivals as are brought to market is only about equal to the limited supply. The arrivals of sheep were only moderately large; and sales were rather slow at a trifle below the figures of last week. There were about forty-five cars of hogs of one hundred in a car, in market yesterday, which were selling rather slowly at 10¼c.@11c. per lb., live gross weight. The prices of all kinds of meat, yesterday, seemed to be on the decline.

The Amendment and the South.

Sundry journals and public men in the Southern States are beginning to urge the acceptance of the Constitutional Amendment, as expedient and wise. It would scarcely be correct to speak of the movement in this direction as general or influential, but the fact that it has been started at all is not without significance. We think a good many prominent and judicious Southern men are really in favor of it, who are as yet unwilling openly to advocate it.

There is one point the South ought to bear in mind: The only parts of the amendment open to serious objection are *temporary* in their operation. By changing the ratio of representation their political power is reduced, but only until they find it wise and safe to apply the same qualifications for suffrage to both blacks and whites. Whenever they can put both races on the same footing and allow both to vote upon the same conditions of education, property, &c., they become entitled to their full representation. In the ordinary course of things, this result must be attained before many years. The same thing is true, to a still greater extent, of the disfranchising clause. It excludes from office certain classes of those who have been active in the rebellion, but Congress may *at any time*, by a two-thirds vote, remove this disability. If peace and order again prevail, and matters resume their normal course in the Southern States, but very few years can elapse before Congress will be very glad to remove this disability altogether, and in regard to many southern men, there is little doubt it would be removed very soon.

The South may very well consider, therefore, whether it would not be wise to accept these temporary inconveniences for the sake of the permanent and substantial advantages to be gained thereby. There is very great danger to the South and to the whole country in keeping this question open for heated and protracted agitation. The condition of every State will become worse and worse with every day of delay. If the contest were closed and the South restored to its proper relations with the Union, the tendency of events would be to pacify and harmonize the country. The South certainly can well afford to make some sacrifices of feeling for the speedy attainment of such results.

THE MURDERER FERRIS.—The final decision of the State Executive that FERRIS, the wife-murderer, shall suffer the extreme penalty of the law, is in accordance with common sense and humanity. The practice in such cases of allowing a man who has forfeited his life to be kept in suspense by reprieve after reprieve, is cruel and unjust to him as well as to the possible victims of future crimes. Besides, the law means either something or nothing, and is brought into contempt by the vacillating of a Governor as to whether it should be put into force. The practice in Portugal of remitting the death-penalty has nothing to do with the matter—we are not Portuguese. Criminals who take life are aware of the consequences to themselves, and must abide them. They have the benefit of a fair trial and are never convicted without ample proof, and to make martyrs and heroes of them, and to lighten their punishment ultimately, is unwise and unsafe.

The Mexican Question Again.

The *Tribune* desires to be understood as "protesting" against our having anything to do with Mexico. If the Mexican people desire to plunge again into anarchy, upon the withdrawal of the foreign forces which have maintained some degree of order there for the last three or four years, it thinks they should be allowed to do so. It objects on the score of expense, and because it finds no warrant in the Constitution for our interference. "We have work enough of this sort at home," it says; and it is fearful that "the bones of WASHINGTON may rattle in his coffin at the bare suggestion of so monstrous a defiance of his wisely-considered, far-seeing foreign policy." So it urges that Mexico be left to work out her own salvation in her own way.

But the trouble is she *won't* work it out at all. The great mass of her people need peace and order, and good, stable government; but the political factions that find their profit in anarchy will not allow them to enjoy these blessings. They are at the mercy of a score or more of military demagogues, eager for office and plunder, utterly reckless of the public interests, ready to fight each other and everybody else, and capable of no cooperation among themselves except such as will enable them to rob the nation with the greater impunity. A French army of 20,000 or 30,000 men, though utterly detested as alien invaders by the mass of the people, though supporting a form of government with which they have no sympathy, and encountering the most formidable obstacles from every quarter, has kept this horde of ambitious marauders in decent order for the last four years. There has been something like quiet in the country. Life and property have been reasonably safe. Commerce, manufactures, internal improvements have received a fresh impetus, and Mexico has seemed on the road to a degree of prosperity worthy of her splendid resources.

This state of things, however, is coming to an end,—mainly because we will not tolerate the Government which has brought it about. It does not suit our interests, our national safety, our political traditions to permit Imperial institutions thus to be planted in close proximity to our territory: no matter how much they may tend to improve the material prosperity of Mexico. We have warned the Imperial *régime* of MAXIMILIAN off Mexican soil, and it is in consequence of our protest that the French Emperor is about to withdraw the forces by which that *régime* has been maintained. We have thus made ourselves, in a certain sense, responsible for the political condition in which Mexico will soon find herself. Her people may fairly demand that, if we expel the only stable Government they have had for many years, we shall at least aid them in putting something equally good in its place. We have no right to play the dog in the manger at their expense. Besides, all our interests, as well as theirs, demand that the Mexicans shall have a Government strong enough to quell the war of factions by which the country has been torn for years; and if they are not strong enough to do it themselves they are entitled to our assistance.

The *Tribune* need have no fear of "WASHINGTON'S bones." They have lain quietly in their coffin through scenes much more likely to disturb them than this, and in spite of much more "monstrous defiances of his wisely-considered, far-seeing policy" than the Mexican programme involves. Mexico could well afford, and would readily engage to pay all the expense of such protection as we could give her, and every foreign nation to whom she is indebted would gladly accept such an indorsement of their claims as this protection would afford.

The *Tribune* does not know "whether the Government of JUAREZ is more legitimate than that of ORTEGA, or any other of the military adventurers" who are about to renew the struggle for ascendancy. Very well—then let us take steps to ascertain. When the Imperial Government, which never had the slightest basis in the popular will, is withdrawn, the Republican Constitution of 1860 resumes its sway. The first thing to be done must, of course, be a new election—to be conducted under the authorities in possession. Our Government may very well guarantee to the people a just and fair expression of their will, and after that, full and complete exercise of the official power which that election may place in their hands. Twenty or even ten thousand men, added to the national forces already enrolled, and placed under some such commander as GRANT, or SHERIDAN, or HANCOCK, or SHERMAN, would be ample for this purpose, and would render this country, as well as Mexico, a service of more importance than they can possibly do just now elsewhere.

The *Tribune* drops a significant hint that "we have work enough *of this sort* at home, and should attend to it." This certainly is not without weight. There are a good many ambitious demagogues in the country, who have had just enough of military glory to puff them up with self-conceit, and who seem anxious to plunge this country into the same anarchy of factions which has cursed Mexico for so many years. But they have not yet succeeded. And our people might learn from the suppression of reckless, unscrupulous, selfish military adventurers in Mexico, how best to deal with the same class of demagogues at home—when their time shall come.

THE CASE OF THE FUGITIVE LAMIRANDE.—It is creditable to the British Colonial Office that Lord CARNARVON has caused an inquiry to be instituted into the disgraceful proceedings attending the kidnapping of the French fugitive LAMIRANDE in Canada. The class of judicial officers in the Provinces, of whom Justices COURSOL and SMITH are types, appears to be rather an extensive one. And the investigation into LAMIRANDE'S case which has been ordered by the British Colonial Minister promises to involve very serious charges against one of the chief law-officers of the Crown. There exists, even now, little, if any, doubt that the illegal deportation of LAMIRANDE was produced by a liberal expenditure of French gold, and that a number of petty provincial officials were sharers in the plunder. All this has already been charged, in effect, by one of the judges of the Court of Queen's Bench. The experience we had of COURSOL and his Chief of Police, two years ago, reminds us that at that time the local Government had to make good certain losses suffered by the connivance of these officials with the St. Albans robbers in a round sum in cash. The same sort of magistrates, apparently, were at work in LAMIRANDE'S case, and the Government is likely again to suffer for their delinquencies.

Mr. Weed's Position.

Sundry newspapers, in various sections of the country, have taken special pains to involve Mr. WEED in responsibility for the course of the TIMES in opposing the Democratic State ticket nominated at Albany. Persons who have been misled by these representations will find them corrected by the letter from Mr. WEED which we publish in another part of this morning's issue.

It will be seen that while Mr. WEED avows his purpose to support the Albany nominations, he is fully sensible that the action of that Convention was not in accordance with the expectations naturally inspired by the National Convention at Philadelphia. He regarded that Convention as having laid the basis for a National Union Party, into which the Democratic Party was to be substantially merged, instead of renewing the political contest under its old organization and its old leaders and burdened by all the odium of its disloyal action during the war. He confesses that his expectations in this regard have been disappointed, but he still prefers to act with the Democratic Party in its present attitude, rather than with the Radicals who lead the Republicans, and from whose ascendency he fears the worst results to the country.

While we understand and fully appreciate Mr. WEED'S feeling in this matter, we cannot concur in his conclusion. Much as we see to disapprove and deprecate in the action proposed by prominent and influential men in the Union Party, we still deem the country infinitely safer in its hands than in those of the Democratic organization. There is a much better prospect of correcting the errors and checking the excesses of the party which carried the country through the war, than of infusing into the party which opposed it anything like the liberal and republican spirit which the welfare and safety of the country require.

Gen. Butler's Programme—The Impeachment of the President.

Gen. BUTLER is bidding high for the post of generalissimo in the devastating movement which the prophetic BROWNLOW has foretold. It is quite plain that the commander of the Massachusetts militia is not entirely satisfied with his own military record. He yearns for an opportunity of proving that Gen. GRANT underrates his capacity as a strategist, and that the public undervalue his courage and devotion as a soldier. Next time he means to be master, not subordinate. He intends to have the direction of affairs—not to be subject to others' direction. Hence he has taken time by the forelock, and is employing himself energetically in fomenting the trouble which he proposes to quell with the torch and the sword. He sees no chance of obtaining laurels save in another civil war, and he is laboring wildly, recklessly, with an utter indifference to principle, and at no pecuniary sacrifice, to render that calamity inevitable.

As a mere agitator it must be confessed that Gen. BUTLER is head and shoulders above the mediocre host of talkers who are doing the work of the extremists throughout the country. BROWNLOW has BUTLER'S malignity, but not a tithe of his power. Even THADDEUS STEVENS and WENDELL PHILLIPS are distanced in the struggle by the General from Massachusetts. These men predict a renewal of strife: he urges it, declares it desirable, and pledges himself, when it shall come, to sweep all opponents "from the face of the earth as a cobweb is swept away before the rising of the morning sun." They insist that in certain contingencies Congress may rid itself of Executive opposition by impeachment; he swears that ANDREW JOHNSON shall be impeached, and has actually drafted the indictment upon which the President is to be tried, convicted, and deposed. Thus, BUTLER is far ahead of all competitors in the race towards a new revolution. His boldness might command admiration could we but forget his military history. His programme might be accepted as synonymous with victory, if it were not remembered that his generalship has invariably led to disaster and defeat.

But BUTLER says the President shall be impeached! Well, what are the grounds of impeachment, as stated by the prosecuting General in his Cincinnati speech? Let the counts be stated in their order: (1.) Attempts "to bring Congress into public hatred, ridicule and contempt." (2.) Corrupt use of "the power of removals and appointments." (3.) Neglect to execute laws passed over his veto. (4.) Appointment of officers after the Senate had refused to confirm them. (5.) Corrupt use of the pardoning power. (6.) Terminating the war by proclamation instead of treaty. Now it is manifest that with the single exception of the last of the allegations we have enumerated, there is not one which a partisan opposition has not at any time in the last half century been ready to bring against the Executive of the day. If these are to be pretexts for impeaching a President—if the gravest proceeding known to the Constitution may be undertaken on the hearsay charges of partisan enemies—what President might not have been tried and deposed? The charges themselves are identical with charges which have been preferred and reiterated in every political campaign of which we have remembrance; but until Gen. BUTLER dedicated himself to sensational oratory and an heroic ambition, who ever dreamed of pushing vulgar clamor and partisan hate to the point of impeachment? Why, at this rate, any President might be got rid of by impeachment if Congress were controlled by his opponents. In these days of angry political warfare, not the purest or wisest or most discreet of Presidents could escape accusations of neglect, corruption and misuse of power; and if Congress, being opposed to him, chose to arraign him before "the Court of Impeachment of the United States," he might be summarily deprived of office and power. Nay, without being formally convicted—simply by arraigning him and then postponing trial—a partisan majority might shake off a troublesome Executive; for, according to Gen. BUTLER, from the moment the act of impeachment commences, the person impeached "ceases to be able to exercise the duties of that office until he is acquitted." And acquitted we may be sure he never would be, if such charges as those which BUTLER recites justifies the deposition which he declares is in store for President JOHNSON.

The Butler programme goes yet further. It provides for the impeachment of the President; but it also presupposes resistance, and provides for maintaining the authority of Congress by force of arms. This is the contingency upon which the hero of the Dutch Gap rests his most cherished aspirations. Impeachment, as he designs it, will be valuable chiefly as the beginning of an armed struggle for the mastery, for out of the contest he hopes to emerge Military Dictator! That is what Gen. BUTLER aims at. His impatient ambition suggests a short cut to the Presidency. To reach *that* he is prepared to precipitate the country into revolution, and to inaugurate an era of horrors, that the rights of States may be destroyed, and red-capped Radicalism reign lord of all.

Extravagant as these plans are, no thoughtful man can witness their promulgation and advocacy without anxiety. They are indicative of evil, and evil only. They are illustrative of the dangerous stage which our national politics has reached—a stage in which bloodshed and anarchy are foreshadowed as means necessary to advancement, and the popular mind is familiarized with principles and measures utterly at variance with the constitutional order and liberty which have been the American's proudest boast. The error—might we not say the crime?—is not confined to Gen. BUTLER and those who think and work with him. There are two schools of extremists in the land, and the menaces of one provoke the threats and intensify the bitterness of the other. The violence that would solve the difficulty between the Executive and Congress by the impeachment of the former, has its counterpart in the recklessness which assails the authority of Congress, and proposes to secure to the South admission at the point of the bayonet. Both are foolish; both are wicked; both are fraught with peril to the peace of the country. They who counsel the President to treat the law-making power as a "Rump Congress," to put down by force a body which he has officially recognized, and to disregard as illegal a body, whose rights are at least as valid as his own—counsel him to suicide. On the other hand, they who contend that the President should be impeached because, as partisans, they oppose his policy, distrust his integrity, and chafe under his exercise of power, would destroy the guarantees of constitutional liberty, and invest a partisan majority in Congress with a power that would be fatal to our form of government. The ultraism does not essentially differ in the two cases. It takes opposite directions, but in both instances its tendency is toward bloodshed and anarchy. Only the good sense and moderation of the country can avert the calamities with which both forms of violence are pregnant.

The City Commissions and the Democratic Party.

The *World* and the friends of Mayor HOFFMAN take good care in this canvass to say nothing of his position on the great practical question to the citizens of New-York—the existence of the "Legislative Commissions" which now govern this City. It is well known that Mayor HOFFMAN is in deadly opposition to these bodies, and has declared his belief more than once that the government of New-York City ought to revert to its old authorities—or in other words, to the Common Council. So far as their leaders can pledge them, the Democratic Party of the State are engaged to break up these Commissions, and "to leave the City to itself." Their organs are very confident that their large City majority will give them the State officers, and they hope by means of these, and of a large increase of their representatives in the Legislature, to either remove or nullify the action of the different Boards which now so encroach on the domain of the City Fathers in this Metropolis.

Have our respectable and thoughtful Democrats well considered what would be the effect of such a policy as this if successful? Many gentlemen of great wealth are contributing large sums here to aid Mr. HOFFMAN'S election; have they duly weighed the probable influence of their success on the interest of the City and the general value of property? Of course one of the first commissions which ought to be "put in the hands of the people" would be the Police Board. Its considerable patronage and immense influence make it very valuable as a political machine. Mayor HOFFMAN would be delighted to place it under the control of the Mayor and the Common Council, as it was under the memorable administration of Mayor WOOD.

We all remember what the police was in those happy days; how thoroughly Democratic; how every policeman was on intimate terms with the rowdies and thieves; what a highly adventurous and perilous proceeding it was to pass through our low streets at night; what agreeable places the polls were for those opposed to the Democracy, and what a chance any respectable man, who would not pay money, had of being protected in life and property. We recollect what a name New-York had then over the country, for order and safety. It is not so far away but that we can recall how that time of disorder and lawless violence and robbery ended in an attempt at revolution, and an almost successful *coup d'état* by a leading Democrat, now a candidate again for office in this City. By a grand effort of the Republican Party and the Legislature, we succeeded then in creating a new Police Board, which has governed the City ever since. We all know what good order and safety it has introduced here; how the rogues and rowdies have been kept down, how crime has been arrested, (if, owing to Democratic Judges, not always punished,) how dens of iniquity have been broken up, and society in general protected, until New-York can claim to equal the best cities of the Old World in its police. No citizen ought ever to forget the services done by the policemen in that carnival of riot and plunder in July, 1863. With a Democratic police, governed by "the friends" of Gov. SEYMOUR—as Mayor HOFFMAN would have—where would the City have been then?

Are the patriotic and property-holding Democrats prepared to let such a Board as our present Board of Police be broken up, or placed under the Common Council or Mayor? Are they ready so to risk their property and permanent interests here?

Again, Mr. HOFFMAN and his followers oppose bitterly the present formation of the Board of Health. They desire the old and Democratic body, created directly from the people and governed by the people. We all know what that distinguished Sanitary Board accomplished; what nuisances they removed, what houses they disinfected, and what streets they cleaned, and what an intelligent and scientific administration they furnished us.

We can imagine what the City might have been this Summer, with Mayor HOFFMAN'S Democratic Board, devising means to keep off cholera. We can remember that even he, when the cholera was imminent, felt that the pestilence itself was a less evil than the meeting of a Democratic Board of Health, and therefore he never called it together. And yet but for the creation of a new Commission there would have been nothing else to do, but to summon the harpies of the City Hall to feed and gorge themselves with hideous gains on the death and sickness of the City.

Would our Democratic citizens have this new Commission abolished?

Are they quite ready to commit the health of their families to the pure Democratic sanitary science of the Common Council and Mayor?

Then again our Charities. For several years this Commission has been shedding its silent blessings on the community. It has sheltered the orphan, cared for the pauper and the insane, nursed the destitute sick, and wisely disciplined the prisoner—all this with order, decency and humanity. The Commissioners are well-known gentlemen of wealth and philanthropy.

Have our community forgotten the drunken and rowdy Aldermen who used to form these charities, holding their orgies within sight of the prisoners, and filling their pockets from jobs connected with the expenses for public charities? Would our Democratic friends desire to have this dissolute reign again on Blackwell's Island, and disgrace the City and improve our criminal classes by setting such men as the Aldermen in charge of our almshouses and prisons?

So with the Park, and the Fire Commissioners, and the Emigrant Board, with everything which has added to the convenience and beauty of the City, which has protected life and averted disease, which has created order and dispelled anarchy, which has placed intelligence, and morality, and decency in rule over this community, and kept down vice, and crime, and riot—they are all branches of government created by the Union Party, and which the Democratic Party, if it now had the power, would at once break down. Are candid Democrats ready for such sweeping changes, and will they favor the election of a leader pledged to do away with these Commissioners and to "leave the City to itself?"

The Turks and the Greek Christian Population of the Empire.

A brief message by the ocean Cable speaks of the insurrection in Candia as spreading rapidly.

Few observers of events in Europe will be taken by surprise on reading the announcement. So far from there being a likelihood of peaceful relations ever sincerely existing between Turkey and her Greek Provinces the fact is notorious the latter have never ceased to hate their Mussulman rulers, and have almost ever since their subjugation been ripe for revolt. In this they have enjoyed, for the most part, the sympathies of all Europe. Had it not been that Turkey is regarded as a sort of barrier against ambitious designs of surrounding powers, and therefore to be supported in her integrity against them all, the rule of the Turks over their Christian subjects would have been put an end to long ago. And even in the face of a common distrust, by the existence of which alone the Sultan has been enabled to retain his own, the news of a revolt startles all Europe with a presentiment that unseen agencies have incited it, and that a desperate battle in Candia is the precursor of far more serious complications, of which no one can foresee the end.

The Cretans appeal to the world in support of their effort to throw off an oppressive rule. In so doing they emphatically disclaim having received promises of aid from without. They rely upon the justice of their cause. They say that they are properly a portion of the Greek Kingdom, and formally declare themselves annexed to it; and, at the same time, they recite the story of sufferings and wrongs, to which no people can listen with indifference.

The idea of annexation to Greece is, in some sort, in harmony with the lofty utterances of the French Emperor upon the consolidation of nations, but we need not inquire how far he or any other diplomat is most likely, in spite of the disclaimer of the people of Crete, to have inspired or aided in inspiring their revolt. We prefer to look at the balance of force as indicating a probability that some astute brain has been at work. The Turkish *army* numbers 400,000 men, and the entire *population* of Candia does not exceed 200,000 souls. This immense disproportion argues one of two things—either the leaders of the revolt see help not far distant, or they are unfit to head a revolt at all.

It may be replied to the latter hypothesis that the topographical features of Candia are favorable to a protracted guerrilla warfare, which is undoubtedly true. But such a warfare has always limits, and cannot alone be relied upon for more than harrassing an enemy. As to the former supposition, it is far more likely that the growing enthusiasm of the whole Greek nation in favor of the Cretans will encourage the spread of the insurrection, until the young King becomes powerless, in spite of the remonstrances and cautions of the foreign representatives at her Court to prevent a war between Turkey and Greece. If that come, there will be news by the Cable which will be worth the cost of its transmission.

The Turkish Empire is so utterly rotten that no civilized Power can regard it with respect. And no one supposes that anything would be left of her in case she were called upon seriously to defend herself. The shortest and cheapest way out of her present danger is for Turkey to concede the boon asked by her rebellious provinces, and bid them go in peace. If that be done promptly she may also lay claim not only to having looked to expediency, but of having, at the same time, shown a semblance of generosity.

THE NATIONAL UNION PARTY.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Near the inauspicious close of a protracted session of Congress, several distinguished Republican friends of President JOHNSON'S Administration invited such loyal citizens of all the States as desired an enlightened, just and speedy restoration of Union, Fraternity and Brotherhood, to assemble in Convention at Philadelphia. This invitation was indorsed by equally distinguished Democratic statesmen, and was responded to by able and patriotic delegations from States North and South, whose calm deliberations and wise conclusions promised salutary results.

The Convention was attended by eminent men from the North, irrespective of party. From the South came equally eminent men, most of whom had been concerned in the rebellion, but who, the war over, accepted the result as evidence of their error, and desired to return to their allegiance and duty in the Union and under the Constitution. In the Declaration of Principles adopted unanimously by that Convention, the Southern delegations pledged themselves to all that justice, duty, honor and magnanimity required.

The Philadelphia Convention contemplated, for the pending canvass, State organizations in the spirit of *its* purpose and action. It presumed that, anxious to concentrate the conservative sentiment and strength of the Northern people, State organizations would proceed upon the basis of Union inaugurated at Philadelphia, Republicans and Democrats, for the time being and for a common object, merging their names and organizations in that of the NATIONAL UNION PARTY. In objecting, subsequently, to two State Conventions, and calling one with delegates of Republican and Democratic antecedents, the Philadelphia principle was preserved.

There were two obvious reasons for that reorganization of parties. First, that the Democratic Party was in a pronounced minority; and second, that its odor of disloyalty restrained Republicans, however opposed to Radicalism, from uniting with it, AS A PARTY.

It was, therefore, the occasion of especial surprise and regret, that, even before the National Union State Convention had concluded its labors, Judge PIERREPONT should have assumed that it was a *Democratic* Convention, and that its programme had been settled in advance by *Democrats*. This was not less a surprise when I remembered that on the day previous to that announcement Judge PIERREPONT concurred fully with me in the opinion that the nomination of Gen. DIX for Governor was expedient and desirable. In this view, I may add, several prominent Democrats concurred, but as it was found impossible to reach that result harmoniously, unanimity *was* attained in favor of Mayor HOFFMAN, in whose nomination, as the representative of the principles of the Philadelphia Convention, I cheerfully acquiesced. Mr. HOFFMAN'S character and record, personal, professional and judicial, is above reproach or suspicion. As a Magistrate, he was loyal to the City in the discharge of high duties under circumstances which tested the fidelity and courage of the Bench. During the rebellion he was loyal to the Government and Union. On one occasion he was adopted by the Republicans of this City as their candidate for Recorder. As the representative of those who seek—what we all professed to desire during the war—a restored UNION, I support him now.

The canvass has proceeded in most of the counties in the spirit which originated it. Leading men of the Democratic Party, throughout the State, are acting in good faith. It is, however, to be regretted that a leading organ (the *World*) in this City, does not, like the Albany *Argus*, "accept the situation." The *World* of Friday says:

"The New-York delegation to Philadelphia was appointed by a gathering of politicians at Saratoga, which neither represented, had any authority to bind, nor made any pretence of binding, the Democratic organization of the State.

Did the Democratic Party then and there, acting through its accredited representatives, agree to give up its organization, abandon its name, and merge its existence in a new party? So far from it, that then and there, in despite of urgent, persistent entreaties to the contrary, it determined to issue its regular and customary call for a Democratic State Convention."

That the Democratic Party consented, for the accomplishment of a great national reform, to temporarily merge itself in the National Union movement, was my understanding and expectation. That, too, was the understanding of the late Mr. RICHMOND, with whom I held frequent frank and unreserved conversations. This is evidenced also by the political constitution and course of the Philadelphia Convention. The *World* hesitated to approve, while the *Leader* ridiculed the Philadelphia call; but when the Democracy of the State walked into that Convention, those journals acquiesced. After that mutual merger of political organizations, therefore, the justice and the wis

Indeed, ordinary forbearance toward erring brethren who have lost everything, seems more than we can afford. And yet two-thirds of all who followed their traitor leaders into rebellion believed their cause just as right and patriotic as we *know* ours to have been.

In view of the determination of Radical leaders to obstruct the return of loyal representatives to Congress and loyal States to the Union, and to deprive the country and the people of the legitimate fruits of a peace in which

——"Both parties nobly are subdued,
And neither party loser,"

the Conservative sentiment of the people, North and South, was appealed to. That appeal, to be successful, involved the necessity of ignoring party, and of voting for candidates irrespective of their antecedents. For this I was and am prepared. Nor have I any hesitation in voting for Democrats who were loyal during the war. In common with all my Whig friends, I voted for Democrats freely, after the Republican Party was organized. Indeed, since its inauguration we have done little else than vote for Democrats. I voted in 1864 for a Democrat for Governor and a Democrat for Lieutenant-Governor. The Speaker of the present Assembly came to us reeking from a Copperhead hot-bed, with the music of his secession speech ringing in our ears. I voted, also, twice for a Democratic State Comptroller and twice for a Democratic Lieutenant-Governor—not as Democrats, but as representatives of our principles. The rebellion broke up and confounded political organizations. Leading Republicans and Democrats are now rivaling each other in their extreme Radicalism. Gen. B. F. BUTLER, a Democrat who supported BRECKINRIDGE for President, is now a full neck ahead of Mr. SUMNER in the race for President in 1870. Though signally unfortunate in his conflicts with the enemy at Big Bethel and Fort Fisher, Gen. BUTLER presses the South now vigorously and gallantly!

The men who now lead the Radical crusade against the President, attempted, during the war, to divide the North. Such a division would have destroyed both the Government and Union. That calamity was averted by the firmness and patriotism of Conservative Republicans. In 1860 the same leaders, as hostile to Mr. LINCOLN as they are to President JOHNSON, attempted to defeat his election by a flank movement at Cleveland. Their call for that Convention was signed by the present editor of the Albany *Evening Journal*. Mr. GREELEY wrote private letters to prominent Republicans inviting their coöperation in a scheme to defeat Mr. LINCOLN's election.

The same leaders went to Washington last December with the deliberate intention to quarrel with the President, who, up to that day and hour, had, in the discharge of his duties, "followed in the footsteps of his illustrious predecessor." Their denunciations, persecutions and slanders have been systematic, persistent and fiendish. If, under a keen sense of injustice, he has since erred in judgment or temper, none will deny the sufficiency of the provocations. That it would have been wiser, though less manly, to forbear, I admit. But no nature, merely human, excepting, perhaps, that of ABRAHAM LINCOLN, can patiently endure wanton public indignities and contumely.

For myself, there is nothing political in the past that I would recall. All that I uttered, before and during the rebellion, may be read with approval now. I have viewed with equal abhorrence the enemies of the Government and Union, at the South, and their sympathetic confederates at the North. JEFFERSON DAVIS, SLIDELL, &c., of the Slave States, and FERNANDO WOOD, VALLANDIGHAM, &c., of the Free States, were alike disloyal. Nor, though moved by other motives, was the course of Mr. GREELEY less disloyal. He invited and vindicated secession. He told the Southern States that they had a right to violate the sacred injunction of WASHINGTON. And when, by acting upon his suggestion, rebellion and war came, he rushed round from "Copperheads" to "rebels," whining for "Peace upon the best attainable terms." And now, after GRANT, SHERMAN, FARRAGUT, and their associates have conquered an honorable peace, Mr. GREELEY, at the head and in command of the Radical army, reopens the war, with shouts of "ON! TO RICHMOND!"

This letter, designed simply to say that I differ with Judge PIERREPONT and the *World* in my understanding of the character of the State ticket for which I shall vote—and I may add that if compelled to accept *their* interpretation I should not vote for it—has grown upon my hands. There are other aspects of the question to which I shall recur. THURLOW WEED.

Personal.

We understand that Gen. DIX does not propose to take charge of the French Mission until about the 1st of December, the date at which Mr. BIGELOW desired his resignation, if accepted, to take effect. The General's family will precede him to Europe, having taken passage in the steamer *Arago* for Havre on the 27th inst.

Among the arrivals by the *Persia* last week was that of Mr. L. J. JENNINGS, who has returned to the post which he filled so ably during the last year, of special correspondent of the London *Times*. We certainly cannot complain of any lack of effort on the part of the *Times* to understand the character and tendency of political events in this country. Mr. WALTER, the principal proprietor of that great journal, is here on a tour of personal observation, and the management has sent back to us the ablest and most fair-minded observer of American affairs they have ever had in the United States. The *Times* always places great reliance upon the gentlemen whom it sends out as special correspondents, and it is simple justice to say that their worst errors during the war were the result of this confidence, which happened to be misplaced. It clearly does not mean to fall under such a misfortune again.

A NEW CLASS OF SOUTHERN REPRESENTATIVES.—The argument which the New-Orleans *Picayune* puts against that of Gov. SHARKEY as to the effect of the Constitutional Amendment on Southern representation in Congress, seems to us to be pointed and powerful—regarded from a national as well as sectional stand-point. The *Picayune* says:

"The second and third sections comprise those features that would come under immediate consideration and call for practical conclusions. A State could elect no local officers, nor send Senators and Representatives to Congress who had taken an official oath to support the Constitution of the United States, and subsequently aided, directly or indirectly, the rebellion. It has been asserted that this disqualification would exclude from office the most intelligent and competent persons in the South, and Judge SHARKEY, of Mississippi, seems to think that it would be extremely difficult to find in that State a sufficient number of qualified white citizens for its various official positions, either local or national. *We much decline to doubt the correctness of this opinion. In every Southern State there were always numbers of intelligent, educated, thrifty and enterprising men who never had or sought occasion to take an official oath*, and who were none the less respectable and trustworthy in public esteem on that account. The disqualification in question would have the effect of bringing into public service persons from this class; and also from another class which consists mainly of young men, whose tender years precluded them from office before the war, though not perhaps from the Confederate armies as volunteers or as conscripts. It is scarcely to be doubted that the two classes would afford abundant material for all immediate needs in respect to official competency and incumbency.

Now, these are points which, we think, the more soberly-disposed class of Southern politicians will be disposed to weigh with care. The best evidence in support of the position of the *Picayune* is to be found in the fact that the men who deserted the national service for that of the Confederacy were the men who led the way to the ruin and disaster which befel the South. If no better representatives of Southern intelligence, character and judgment than these can be found, the South might certainly be as well off without any representatives at all. But better men, as our New-Orleans cotemporary points out, *can* be found—men who, while doing their duty honorably as citizens before the rebellion broke out, were yet, neither office-holders nor office-seekers. There are also the young men who have grown up to manhood since the war began, and who may be supposed to have learned the lessons of duty and allegiance to the national authority which their elders have in too many cases forgotten. The South, it is clear, need not remain unrepresented, if every State should tomorrow give in its adhesion to the Constitutional Amendment. The advice of the New-Orleans *Picayune* ought to command respect.

AMUSEMENTS.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—The production of a new play at Wallack's Theatre is always a matter of critical and general interest. Sometimes the play is good, sometimes bad, but the fair presumption is that one will spend a pleasant evening at the cheerful house of WALLACK, whenever the announcement of old faces in new scenes is made. The "Fast Family" are at the height of their first season's success, but lest a complacent public should weary of too much domestic fleetness, Mr. WALLACK kindly introduced last evening a new candidate for popular regard, known as the "Favorite of Fortune," a play from the facile pen of Dr. WESTLAND MARSTON. The mere fact that the Doctor's child has had a season's run across the pond where it established its right to the title given it, though by no means sufficient to warrant its enthusiastic recognition here, was quite enough to insure it a respectful greeting. The cast included the names of Miss HENRIQUES, Miss MORANT, Messrs. ROBINSON, GILBERT, FISHER and YOUNG, and in addition was rendered interesting by the reappearance of Miss MARY GANNON, and the *début* at this theatre of Mrs. SEDLEY BROWN. The comedy, though by no means new to the American stage, is new to New York, and is one of the most pleasant of the many society plays produced at Wallack's Theatre. In brief, it turns upon the good and ill-fortune of a young English gentleman, who in the days of his prosperity finds the world eager in his recognition and equally ready to censure or forget him in the hour of his temporary trouble. Upon this well-worn thread for a story, the author has strung a series of very enjoyable conversational brilliants, with now and then a startler in the shape of a situation. The ladies were thoroughly excellent in their several *rôles*, the elegant toilet of Miss HENRIQUES adding not a little to the very pronounced success attending her representation. The reception of Miss MARY GANNON was hearty and genuine. Mrs. SEDLEY BROWN, a new face at this theatre, was also greeted most courteously. Mr. ROBINSON in the leading *rôle* was quite up to the average of his action. The part loses much by the fearful dressing in which he persists, rendering unfavorable comparison inevitable. Mr. GILBERT, as an old gentleman of the Regent's time, and Mr. FISHER as the rollicking but good-hearted friend of *Annerly*, (ROBINSON,) the favorite of fortune, were happy, as usual, in their conception of interesting characters, and quite as successful in their interpretation of them. The play is well put upon the stage, well mounted, and carefully prepared as is always the case, and cannot fail to share the favor which is already the pleasant fortune of its predecessor. The climax of the third act was quite effectually marred by the entrance of the musicians and the entirely unnecessary and offensive tuning of their instruments, in spite of which the very natural and effective activity of Mr. ROBINSON and Miss HENRIQUES secured the pronounced recognition of the audience, and a recall of the tableau. Miss MARY GANNON revived the triumphs of other days, and with Mr. FISHER, divided the honors of the evening. The "Favorite of Fortune" will be presented for the second time to-night.

FRENCH THEATRE.—It is not easy to reconcile a Biblical subject to an American public. The experiment has been made frequently, and without success. The story of Judith and Holofernes is known to everyone. In its Italian form it is regarded as interesting for the sake of the artists introduced in the performance. When, however, we mention the name of Mme. RISTORI, all the interest that was delectable last evening is expressed. Signor SALVINI—whom we have tried to like—was simply bad. Any American creature playing the part of *Holofernes* so vilely would have been hooted from the stage. The other parts were not better impersonated. But in the dead, dreary dialogue of the leading character, Mme. RISTORI exhibited some power, and at all events saved a silly piece from utter failure.

WINTER GARDEN.—Mrs. Gen. LANDER, so popularly remembered and recognized when Miss JEAN DAVENPORT, as one of the greatest artists in the very highest school of art which the stage has seen, appeared at this theatre last night, and it was gratifying to find in the enthusiasm which greeted her, and the genuine delight which her performance inspired, most cheering evidence that amid the just admiration bestowed on foreign artists of eminence and the hosts of attraction which now tempt the town, an artist who has reflected such lustre on our boards is not forgotten. Mrs. LANDER is an actress entitled in every sense to the highest admiration. She never for a moment descends to the sensation school. Nothing can exceed the severe fidelity with which she adheres to the author's ideal of the character she personates, or the disdain with which she refuses to surround it with any captious clothing. From her entrance on the second act in the glittering costume of the stage to the death picture at the close, so terrible in its truth, she held the audience spell-bound by a true and genuine art effort. In her scenes with *Maurice* the radiance which brightened her features was more eloquent than on the lips of an ordinary artist the most powerful words, and the tender emotions which thrill *Adrienne's* heart shone on every lineament. Nor was less beautiful a picture for the artist Mrs. LANDER's face and pose when she hears of *Maurice's* misfortune, and the violent struggle ensues between her love and the desire to conceal it. Of course, the great interest centres in the celebrated death scene, which the genius of RACHEL has immortally emblazoned, and this Mrs. LANDER clothed with solemn beauty and a delicate tenderness which touched every heart. Indeed, one quality which RACHEL possessed to a greater degree than any actress who ever lived, Mrs. LANDER possesses beyond any actress, perhaps, on our stage, that of producing an all-powerful and overwhelming impression by a single word, be it of anger or of love. Mrs. LANDER was of course repeatedly called before the curtain to receive the homage which so admirable a performance well claimed.

The other parts were very well sustained. Mr. TAYLOR played the Prince with dignity and feeling, and Messrs. DAVIDGE and ANDREWS were excellent in their several *rôles*. The piece was placed on the stage with all that excellence of scenery and appointments which, we are glad to think, has now become the rule, and not the exception, at all our leading theatres. "Adrienne" will be repeated every night.

THE PRESIDENT'S POSITION.

Letter from Francis J. Parker to Chas. Sumner.

The Boston *Post*, of the 8th inst., contains th following letter:

BOSTON, Friday, Oct. 5, 1866.

Hon. Charles Sumner:

SIR: Will you allow me to suggest, after reading your speech at the Music Hall, that the impression is very strong on my mind that you have misapprehended the position of the President, viewing it altogether from our own stand-point without giving sufficient consideration to what it may be from his.

From the President's speeches and papers I understand he believes that the people of all the States have a right of representation in Congress until the Constitution is changed so as to limit or prevent their right—that in preparing amendments to the Constitution the whole people have the right to the benefits of vote or discussion which are incident to the representation of the whole people.

I am very strongly northern in my prejudices; the punishment of treason would be particularly satisfactory to me, and I have no reason to feel especial sympathy for the South and its people, and I feel none; but it is not desirable that to satisfy such revengeful feelings the interests of the whole country should be permanently and injuriously affected. One Southern Senator might, in the discussion, convince you that a proposed amendment, by its effect in the South, would injure the North, and might change the vote of the Senate.

Very probably this detail of ideas does not enter into the consideration of the President, but I infer that he believes that the North, by majority and its minority, has a right to the benefits which might result from the presence and obedience of representatives from the South, a right it might perhaps be said to the benefit of their opposition.

He believes that the constitutional amendments require the assent of two-thirds of the whole Congress, and not of two-thirds of the representatives from two-thirds of the States, which have excluded the remaining one-third.

If he is wrong it can hardly be said that in preventing so far as is possible the action of Congress until the voice of the people is heard in the elections, he is exerting an unlawful authority; if he is right, he is defending the interests of the people, as against the unlawful acts of a Congressional majority.

Very respectfully your constituent,
FRANCIS J. PARKER.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

CAPTURE OF YOUTHFUL THIEVES AND AN ALLEGED RECEIVER.—RECOVERY OF A LARGE QUANTITY OF STOLEN GOODS.—Yesterday afternoon Detectives LYONS and KING observed two lads carrying a large box into a house in East Broadway, and from their actions the officers supposed that they were in possession of property unlawfully acquired. They therefore followed them into the house, where they were caught offering the contents of the box for sale to a Jew named FRANCIS LYONS. The articles thus offered were: 28 tack drawers and a lot of valuable oil stones. Upon searching the receiver's apartments the detectives found a shawl containing eleven pairs of pantaloons, two pairs of boots, a box containing nine gross of papers of pins, two boxes of fancy buttons, nine pieces of ribbons, eighty-six very fine steel pocket knives, forty-six linen pocket-handkerchiefs, twelve pairs of plaid pants, a trunk containining a lot of fancy cards and prints, a case containing 61¼ boxes of Havana cigars, and a receipt book of the Adams Express Company. These goods were all removed at once to the Essex Market Police Station, where they can be seen by parties who are desirous of identifying them as lost property. The thieves names are HERMAN WAGNER and OTTO RUSCH. They, with the receiver, were consigned to a cell, from which they will probably be conveyed before Justice MANSFIELD this morning for examination.

RAID ON PROSTITUTES.—Capt. BRACKETT, of the Twenty-sixth Precinct Police, yesterday determined to clear the City Hall Park of the vile women who infest it at night for the purpose of victimizing strangers who arrive by the late boats and trains. Accordingly, Sergt. ROBINSON and Officers BROWN and DUNN, about midnight, sallied out and arrested eight of the vilest of this vile class, all of whom were Irish. Three of them are thieves who have already done the State service, and all the others have been on the Island for one or more terms. They will be taken to the Tombs this morning, and proceeded against as vagrants.

OWNER WANTED FOR STOLEN PROPERTY.—On Friday evening Officers LYON and KING, of the Tenth Precinct, arrested a man in Grand-street, whom they found in possession of four pieces of steel-ribbed cassimeres, which he was offering at a price far below the value of the goods. As the suspicion was that he had stolen the cloth, as he could give no proper account of his method of obtaining possession, the prisoner was committed for examination by Justice SMANDLEY. The cloth is now lying at the Essex Market Station waiting an owner.

INCENDIARY ATTEMPT IN A COLORED TENEMENT HOUSE.—About 2 o'clock yesterday morning a fire was discovered beneath the outer staircase leading to the second-story of the tement house, No. 126 West Thirty-fifth-street, occupied by several negro families. The flames were speedily extinguished with a few pails of water, when it was discovered that some fiend had stuffed a quantity of rags, well soaked in benzine, beneath the stairs, and had then set them on fire. No clue to the perpetrator could be obtained by the Police.

ARRIVALS IN THE CITY.—Lieut.-Gov. T. G. Alvord, Salina; Gen. H. L. Robinson, Binghamton; Gen. Wm. L. Duff, Quincy, Illinois; Hon. John A. Collier, Binghamton, and J. C. Wilson, Kentucky, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Gov. Barnett, California, is at the Metropolitan Hotel. Boris Dantzas, of the Russian Legation, and L. J. Jennings, of the London *Times*, are at the Clarendon Hotel. Hon. L. D. M. Sweat, Boston, is at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Gen. Geo. W. Buck, Chemung; Hon. Homer Ramsdell, Newburgh, and Hon. H. A. Risley, Washington, are at the Astor House.

FALSE PRETENCES.—Officer WILLIAM HERRING, of the Tenth Precinct, yesterday arrested ALFRED CROOK and MICHAEL LANDERGRAN, who were caught collecting money for the Juvenile Guardian Society, by representing themselves as agents of the same, and appropriating the funds thus raised to their own use. They admitted their guilt, and say that since last May they have collected nearly $1,000 in this way. They were committed for examination by Justice MANSFIELD, at the Essex Market Police Court.

ACCIDENTS.—HENRY SETTE, a laborer, residing at No. 127 Stanton-street, who was at work on the building owned by the Mechanics' Union express Company, corner of Broadway and Franklin-street, was struck on the head by a beam and severely injured. Taken to the New-York Hospital....JOHN FAY, of No. 18 Laurens-street, received a severe kick from a horse at the corner of Laurens and Spring streets yesterday afternoon, was and seriously injured. Taken to Bellevue Hospital.

THE CHOLERA.—Three cases of cholera, two of them fatal, were reported to the Sanitary Superintendent of the Board of Health in this City, yesterday, as follows: HENRY QUANTIN, aged 65 years, died this morning at No. 132 Bleecker-street. MARIA FORBES, aged 46, was attacked at No. 37½ Baxter-street, and removed to Battery Barracks Hospital. JOHN HOGAN, aged 28, of No. 9 Roosevelt-street, died at Battery Barracks Hospital. Six patients remain at the Battery Hospital.

PUBLIC TEMPERANCE MEETING.—There will be a public temperance meeting on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Dr. DOWLING'S Church, corner of Bedford and Downing streets, under the auspices of the Duane Lodge of Good Templars. Interesting speakers are expected to address the meeting, and the Occidental Glee Club of this City will assist on the occasion.

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE BY A WOMAN.—ELLEN CHAPMAN, a resident of Freehold, N. J., made an attempt at suicide by jumping overboard from the steamer *Joseph Belknap*, lying at Pier No. 1 North River. She was rescued from drowning by Officer HANTLY, of the Twenty-sixth Precinct, and taken home.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—THOMAS MCCALLAHAN was instantly killed yesterday morning on the corner of Eleventh-avenue and Thirty-fourth-street, by a pile of lumber falling upon him. Coroner NAUMANN was notified to hold an inquest. Deceased was 18 years of age, a native of this City and a laborer.

MISS DICKINSON'S LECTURE.—Miss ANNA DICKINSON will deliver, to-night, at the Cooper Institute, a political lecture, bearing directly upon the issues of the pending election.

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE.—Mayor HOFFMAN was quite unwell yesterday, and unable to attend to business.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY NEWS.

CLOTHING-STORES ROBBED BY THE FOLLOWERS OF A TARGET COMPANY.—The Eagle Light Guard, of the Seventeenth Ward, City of New-York, yesterday paid a visit to the town of Morrisania for a target excursion. They went to Morris Park soon after dinner, and left about 5 o'clock. Just as they reached the corner of Fifth-street and Fordham-avenue, a young lady standing on the walk was seized by one of a gang of loafers who accompanied them, and grossly and indecently insulted. She attempted to escape, when she was violently and brutally struck in the face and nearly knocked down. The ruffian who had seized and struck the young lady threatened to cut any person who interfered, with a large knife which he drew from his clothing. She finally escaped. The food-store of Mrs. HARTMAN, the clothing-stores of Mr. FOX and JOSEPH TWOMEY, were entered, no one being in charge but the wives of the owners. From Mr. FOX's store they stole some cloth, and from that of Mr. TWOMEY several pairs of pantaloons. They got nothing at Mrs. HARTMAN's. The thieves escaped without being arrested.

A CHILD BURIED UNDER AN EMBANKMENT.—Yesterday afternoon, about 5:30 o'clock, a son of CHARLES HORBY, two and a half years old, was covered up by an embankment caving upon him, while sitting below the bank, where he remained for a quarter of an hour. When he was taken out he was still alive, and hopes are entertained by physicians who were called to attend him that he is not fatally injured. The embankment has been recently made, being on the line of Boston Road, Morrisania.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS AND COUNTY COURT.—The Fall term of the Westchester County Court of General Sessions and County Court will commence to-morrow morning at the Court-house in the town of Bedford, Hon. WM. H. ROBERTSON, County Judge, presiding. There is a large amount of criminal business to be transacted at this time.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

EMBEZZLEMENT.—SAMUEL FLETCHER, employed as a clerk in Mr. DOUGLASS' drug-store, corner of Fulton-avenue and Pearl-street, was arrested yesterday by Roundsman BIGGS, of the Forty-first Precinct Police, on the charge of purloining a number of articles to the amount of about $100. He was brought before Justice CORNWELL and committed to the Penitentiary for three months.

NEW-JERSEY.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—A man named JOHN CAMBERLIN, of Antwerp, but who has of late resided in Hudson City, a few days since made a desperate attempt at suicide, by plunging a large knife into his breast, inflicting a severe wound, and penetrating the lung. The cause of the rash act was that CAMBERLINS had been induced, while very drunk, to marry a very old woman, and saw no escape from the toils but in death. The suicide was attempted in a public saloon, and was witnessed by several friends of the repentant Benedick, who were called by him to the bar to "see how they did things in Belgium." CAMBERLINS lies in a very critical condition at the water-cure establishment in Bergen.

NEW-JERSEY POLITICS—HON. ROBERT GILCHRIST ACCEPTS THE NOMINATION FOR CONGRESS FROM THE FIFTH DISTRICT—GEN. B. F. WESTBROOK WITHDRAWS.—The difficulties originating in the Democratic Convention held at Hoboken on Thursday last have been satisfactorily adjusted. Gen. R. R. V. WRIGHT withdraws all claim to the nomination, and Hon. ROBERT GILCHRIST, who was the choice of the Convention by a majority of nine votes, accepts. Gen. WRIGHT, it is understood, will fully support the new candidate, both by his voice and vote.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN PIERMONT.—The Northern Railroad (*N. J.*) workshop, at Piermont, was burned to the ground about 3 o'clock Sunday morning. Three locomotives, a car, stationary engine, a large quantity of tools, besides other property, were destroyed. The loss is variously estimated at from $80,000 to $120,000. The insurance amounts to $90,000. Mr. CHARLES G. SIMSON, of Jersey City, is the principal loser, he owning nearly the entire road.

FATAL BURNING ACCIDENT.—A little girl named ELIZABETH STANSBURY, aged 6 years, died at her home in Provost-street, Jersey City, early yesterday morning, from the effect of burns received while playing round a bonfire on Friday last. The Jury censured the authorities for not enforcing the ordinance prohibiting bonfires.

HEAVY ROBBERY IN A RAILROAD CAR.—A man named George REEMER, agent for the Orange County milk dealers, was robbed of $2,100 while in a car on the Erie Railway, Saturday night, shortly after leaving the Jersey City depot. The thief escaped with the money.

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The fire last Saturday night is supposed to have been the act of an incendiary. So great has the evil become as to demand more stringent measures for the suppression of it. It appears that one of the young men was seen to take in the store during the afternoon a package of Lovett's Aromatic Swietenia, the desire to obtain which induced the incendiary to commit his fiendish act. Swietenia is the best and most delightful dentifrice in the world. Warranted not to injure the enamel. For sale everywhere.—*Advertisement.*

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SALT—GOODAY.—On Tuesday, Oct. 9, by Rev. Chas. Kelsey, Mr. JAMES SALT to Miss PHEBE H. GOODDAY, all of Brooklyn, E. D.

SEABURY—VINTON.—At Boston, on Wednesday, Oct. 3, by Rev. Dr. GANNETT, Mr. GARDNER T. SEABURY, of New-Bedford, to Miss CLARA E. VINTON, daughter of Edward Vinton, of Boston.

WINCHESTER—BRUNDAGE.—At the Church of the Messiah, on Monday, Oct. 8, by Rev. E. H. Chapin, D. D., FRANK E. WINCHESTER to AGNES F., eldest daughter of N. L. Brundage, Esq., all of this City.

WARNER—MCKAIN.—On Tuesday, Sept. 18, at the Legation of the United States, Berne, Switzerland, by Rev. Samuel Longfellow, LEWIS T. WARNER, M. D., to SARAH L., daughter of Jas. McKaye, Esq., all of New-York.

DIED.

BUTTERWORTH.—In Albany, at the residence of Col. Walter S. Church, on Monday, Oct. 8, SAM BUTTERWORTH, son of Sam F. Butterworth, of San Francisco, Cal.

Funeral on Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 10 o'clock A. M., from St. Bartholomew's Church, corner of Lafayette-place and Great Jones-st. The friends of his father and those of his uncles, JOHN, JAMES and HENRY H. BUTTERWORTH, are invited to attend without further notice.

DALLETT.—On Sunday evening, Oct. 7, MICHAEL F. DALLETT, aged 46 years and 7 months.

Notice of funeral to-morrow.

FOUNTAIN.—On Sunday, Oct. 7, T. EDGAR FOUNTAIN, aged 33 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from the Bank-st. M. E. Chapel, Bank-st., between Greenwich and Washington sts., this afternoon at 1 o'clock, without further invitation. His remains will be taken to Keyport, N. J., for interment.

FIELD.—On Sunday, Oct. 7, FREDERIC C., son of Charles M. and Anna C. Field, aged 12 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 136 Hicks-st., Brooklyn, this day, (Tuesday,) the 9th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M.

GEROW.—On Monday, Oct. 8, LIZZIE E., wife of Henry S. Gerow, and eldest daughter of Henry McLean.

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NOTICE.—SPECIAL MEETING OF THE holders of certificates issued by this Trust will be held at the office of the Trustees, No. 68 Wall-st., New-York, on THURSDAY, the first day of November next, at 12 o'clock, M., for the consideration of the following subject, viz.:

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The transfer books of the Trust will be closed on the 26th day of October next, at 3 o'clock P. M., and remain closed until further notice, by order of the Trustees.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Chairman.

OFFICE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 187 West-st., NEW-YORK, Oct. 5, 1866.

NOTICE.—THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Erie Railway Company are hereby notified that the annual election for Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of said Company, in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, the 6th day of October next. The polls will be open from 11 o'clock A. M. till 3 o'clock P. M. The transfer books of both Preferred and Common Stock will be closed on Tuesday, the 18th inst., and remain closed until the day after the election.

HORATIO N. OTIS, Secretary.

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THE INTEREST COUPONS OF THE first mortgage bonds of this Company, due Oct. 1, will be paid on and after that day, less government tax, on presentation at the office of the Company in this City.

H. MORGAN, Treasurer.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS OF THE CONSOLIDATED GREGORY COMPANY will close on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, for a special meeting of the stockholders, to be held the following day, and reopen on SATURDAY, 13th inst., at the office of the Company, No. 37 Wall-st. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. N. SILTING, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 6, 1866.

$100,000 WANTED IMMEDIATELY, ON different properties situated in New-Jersey, five to seven miles from N.-Y. Exchange; abundant security.

A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., No. 26 Pine-st.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIrectors of the CONEY ISLAND AND BROOKLYN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held on MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, at the office of the Secretary, 94th-av. and 4th-st., Brooklyn. Polls open at 12 M., close at 1 o'clock P. M.

ROY J. DRAYTON, Secretary.

FINANCIAL.

BANKING HOUSE

OF

JAY COOKE & CO.

Corner Wall-st. & Nassau-sts., New-York.

We buy and sell at the most liberal current prices, and keep on hand a full supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS OF ALL ISSUES, SEVEN-THIRTIES,

AND

COMPOUND INTEREST NOTES,

And execute orders for purchase and sale of STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.

JAY COOKE & CO.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—A MEETing of the stockholders of the NORTH AMERICAN TRUST will be held on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the office of the Company, No. 49 Beaver-st., New-York.

F. PRECHT, Secretary.

COMMISSIONER FOR MASSACHUsetts and other States.—No. 6 Bankman-st., Room No. 4, Merchants' Exchange, New York Bank.

AUCTION SALES.

GEORGE COOK, Auctioneer.—Office No. 61 Liberty-st.

VERY GENTEEL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

MANTEL AND PIER MIRRORS,
OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS,
MATTRESSES, BEDS, CHINA AND GLASSWARE,
GROCERIES, COOKING STOVES, &c.

On MONDAY and TUESDAY, Oct. 15 and 16, at 10½ o'clock, at No. 18 East 21st-st., near Madison-av., the entire superb FURNITURE, all made to order and in fine condition, viz.:

PARLORS.

Solid rosewood suites in brocatelle, centre-tables, étagères, encoignures, pier and mantel mirrors, parlor-carpets, mantel clocks and ornaments, curtains, shades, cornices, &c.

DINING-ROOM.

Oak extension table, buffet, lounge, chairs, china, glass and table ware.

CHAMBERS.

Handsome rosewood, black walnut and enameled inlaid suites complete, best hair mattresses, feather beds, &c.

Also, kitchen furniture, with which the sale will commence. Catalogues at the office. This sale is absolute, and worthy the attention of buyers,

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON THE HUDSON RIVER.

ADRIAN H. MULLER & WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway by order of the executors of Rev. Wm. Creighton, D. D. deceased, 29 11-100 acres of land, situate in the town of Cœsining, Westchester County, opposite St. Mary's Episcopal Church, extending from the Albany Turnpike Road to the Hudson River, having a front on the turnpike of about 810 feet and on the river of 927 feet. This property is about midway between Tarrytown and Sing Sing.

Maps and full particulars at the office of the auctioneers, No. 7 Pine-st.

HENRY H. LEEDS & MINER, Auctioneers—Office No. 89 Liberty-st.

ON WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, 1866, AT 10 o'clock A. M., at the private stables No. 96 West 18th-st., adjourned and positive sale of a private stable of fast trotting horses and a Clarence coupe, consisting of the following horses and harness:

TOM HAND CHIEF.—The well known trotting stallion.

LADY CLIFTON.—This famous mare can trot in 2:30.

BONNY KATE.—Mate to Clifton in double harness; can trot in 2:30 together, making one of the fastest teams in the City.

TORONTO CHIEF, JR.—Chestnut stallion five years old; stylish; can trot better than 2:50.

LADY BELL, brown mare, by Eureka, 5 years old, very fast.

C. B. STUYVESANT, 7 years old, can trot in 2:30.

LADY HENRIETTA, 7 years old, by Geo. Wilks; very promising.

BLONDE, the famous young gray mare, by Hoagland's Messenger, one of the fastest mares in the world.

ONE PAIR BLACK HORSES, 6 and 7 years old; can trot very fast, making a very handsome carriage team, being unsurpassed for style and action.

The above-named horses will be POSITIVELY SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER WITHOUT RESERVE, and can be seen on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, (the day preceding sale,) by the catalogue, No. 96 West 18th-st. Also, seven sets of double and seven set of single harness, and Clarence Coupe by Miner & Stevens, nearly new.

ALSO,

A PAIR OF DARK BAY CARRIAGE HORSES, long tails and manes, full 16 hands high, very stylish, good travelers, and kind in all harness. To be sold by order of Executors, if not previously sold at private sale.

SALE POSITIVE.

J. BLEECKER, SON & Co., Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE.—COAL IRON MINES.—In pursuance of a vote of the stockholders will be sold at public auction, at the Company's office, in Copake, Columbia County, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of October, 1866, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the entire property of the Copake Iron Mines, consisting of some fifty acres of ore land, 200 acres of farming and 700 acres of woodland, or, in all, about 1,000 acres, according to survey and descriptions; together with all the buildings, fixtures, erections, machinery, apparatus and materials, now on the premises and belonging to said Company. For whole position, or further information apply to the said owners, No. 17 Cedar-st.

By order of the Trustees.

CHARLES H. MILLS, President.

RICHARD WALTERS, Auctioneer.

SHERIFF'S SALE—13 HORSES—SUPREME COURT.—In pursuance of an order made by Hon. JOSIAH SUTHERLAND, one of the Justices of this Court, I will expose for sale at public auction (Richard Walters, auctioneer,) at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of TUESDAY, Oct. 9, 1866, at McQuade & Co.'s stables, southeast corner of 46th-av. and 43d-st.:

THIRTEEN HORSES, attached as the property of the National Express and Transportation Company.

Dated NEW-YORK, Oct. 2, 1866.

JOHN KELLY, Sheriff.

D. GILLESPIE, Deputy-Sheriff.

BENJ. F. THEALL, Auctioneer—Late Salesman with E. H. Ludlow & Co.

BY THEALL & CURTIS, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock, at their salesroom, No. 61 Liberty-st., near Nassau-st.:

ELEGANT FANCY GOODS, BRONZES, CLOCKS, CHINA, GLASS, SILVER-PLATED WARE, &c., &c.

F. COLTON, Auctioneer.

CLOSING SALE OF FURNITURE, carpets, oil-cloths, chandeliers, horse, wagons, harness, &c., &c.—THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) Oct. 9, at 10½ o'clock at No. 182 West 26th-st., near 8th-av., the entire balance of furniture, including 100 mahogany and other chairs; all kinds of goods suitable for the trade. N. B. Every article must be closed out as the owner leaves for California on the 20th inst.

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECREE IN CHANcery, of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Seventh Circuit and Southern District of Ohio, in a cause wherein John D. Morgan et al. are complainants, and the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company et al. are defendants, and of a decree in Chancery, entered in the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern Circuit and District of Indiana, in a cause wherein the said E. D. Morgan et al. are complainants, and the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company et al. are defendants, and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us by a certain deed of trust, called a second mortgage, dated December 1, 1858, executed and delivered by the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company to Edward D. Mansfield and John McLean, and by certain proceedings whereby the said John McLean having declined to act, Geo. Hoadly was in due legal form substituted in his stead, and became with the said Edward D. Mansfield the grantee of said second mortgage, the undersigned, trustees and attorneys, appointed by said deed of trust and by the said proceedings aforesaid, in pursuance of said McLean, will, at 11 o'clock A. M., on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of January, 1867, offer for sale at public auction, at the door of the United States Court-house in Cincinnati, and sell to the highest bidder, complying with the terms of sale hereinafter stated, all and singular the following described premises and real and personal estate and franchises, to wit: The railroad constructed by the said Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company in the States of Ohio and Indiana, in and connecting the cities of Cape Island, Ohio, and Vincennes, in Indiana, including the lands occupied and inclosed to be occupied by the said Railroad and its appurtenances, the track, rails, buildings, bridges, viaducts, cattle-guards, fixtures and the lands upon which the same are situated, and all the privileges, franchises and rights whatsoever of the said Company, and the tolls, income, issues and profits thereof, and all the depots and stations, and the said premises upon which they are situated, and the locomotives, tenders, cars and machinery owned or in any wise belonging to the said Company, and all benefit and equity of redemption of said Company therein, together with all the rights, claims and demands of said Company against the Indianapolis and Cincinnati Railroad Company, upon or growing out of a contract between said companies, dated Oct. 3, 1856, but subject to all the duties and liabilities imposed by said contract upon the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company; SUBJECT, HOWEVER, to the payment of the principal of the bonds secured by the first mortgage executed by the said Company, and to say, to the payment on the first day of July, 1872, in the City of New-York, of two thousand and fifty bonds, each of the sum of one thousand dollars; and SUBJECT ALSO, to the payment of the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become due on and after the 1st day of January, 1867, being the interest coupons of said bonds, payable semi-annually, upon presentation of the coupons or interest warrants therefor; and SUBJECT, ALSO, to the lien of the said first mortgage upon all of said property for the said principal and the interest which may accrue on and after the 1st day of January, 1867, the payment of which principal and interest the purchaser at said sale is to assume, and the lien of said mortgage, securing the same is to remain in full force in law and equity, notwithstanding said sale; but FREE AND DISCHARGED from all other claims of the creditors and stockholders of said Company.

TERMS OF SALE, CASH.

No bid will be received for less than $1,000,000. No bid will be received unless the bidder shall have previously deposited in the Commercial Bank of Cincinnati, as a special deposit, subject to our order, either the sum of $500,000 in lawful money of the United States, or bills of the first or second mortgage bonds of the said Railroad Company, and shall have delivered to us the proper evidence thereof. Such deposit will be returned to any bidder whose bid is not accepted. Deposits made by the purchaser will be forfeited and converted to the use of the creditors of the said Company, if such purchaser fails to comply with the terms of the said purchase money, and complete his purchase.

All persons desiring to bid will find on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in Cincinnati, a correct schedule of the property and premises to be offered for sale.

EDWARD D. MANSFIELD, } Trustees and
GEO. HOADLY, } Attorneys.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 24, 1866.

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, on Oct. 12, 1866, at 11 o'clock A. M., at bonded warehouse, basement of No. 40 Cortlandt-st., the following-described articles, seized at the 3d Washington-st. for non-payment of taxes under the United States Internal Revenue laws, viz.:

1 copper still—capacity about 100 gallons.
1 copper connecting pipe—various sizes.
1 large tub, containing worm.
1 large tub, double headed.
3 large funnels.
1 large sheet iron hood.
1 sheet iron furnace, door and frame.
14 heavy grate-bars.
1 long iron fire-rake.
1 long iron five-poker.
1 hydrometer—broken.

J. D. BAILEY, Collector Fourth District.

BENJ. F. THEALL, Auctioneer.

BY THEALL & CURTIS, THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) at 10 o'clock, at 127 AVENUE D, BETWEEN 8TH AND 9TH STS.—MORTGAGE SALE.—The entire stock of liquors, cigars, bar and fixtures, chandeliers, soda-water stand, &c., &c.

MARTIN K. MARSHALL, Mortgagee.

MILLINERY.

MISS D'ORSEY WILL OPEN A SPLENdid assortment of Fall and Winter millinery on THURSDAY, Oct. 11, at her new store, No. 1,175 Broadway, between 27th and 28th sts.

MADAME HARRIS, NO. 7 SHE VOORT-place, has returned from Europe by steamer Java, and just opened a splendid lot of Opera Bonnets and other novelties.

DRY GOODS.

LACE CURTAINS AND UPHOLSTERY.

In every variety. Curtain Materials, Damasks, Reps, Satin de Laines, Tassels, Bands, Loops, and Fixtures of every kind.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY,
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-ST.,
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-ST.

FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS.

Irish Poplins, Paris Reps, Merinos, Wool Plaids, Printed Cashmeres, Delaines, French Poplins, &c., &c., including every novelty in Dress Goods, for Fall and Winter wear.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY,
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-STREET.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-STREET.

LADIES' AND JUVENILES' DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' and Childrens' UNDERCLOTHING; Childrens' SUITS, HATS AND CAPS; BREAKFAST ROBES AND ROBES DE CHAMBRE, &c., &c., Ready-made and made to Order.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY.
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-STREET.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-STREET.

NEW CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS, STAIR CARPETINGS, VELVETS, BRUSSELS, THREE-PLY, INGRAIN, RUGS, MATS, RODS, FIXTURES, &c., &c.

ALSO, WINDOW SHADES,
LACE CURTAINS AND CURTAIN MATERIALS.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY,
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-STREET.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-STREET.

WOOLEN AND FANCY CLOAKINGS.

Velvets, Cloths, Cassimeres, Trimmings, &c., &c.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY.
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-STREET.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-STREET.

FASHIONABLE CLOAKS AND SHAWLS.

A large and desirable stock of CLOAKS and SHAWLS, including all the latest PARIS NOVELTIES for Fall.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY.
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-ST.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHARINE-ST.

WE SHALL OPEN AT RETAIL, WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10, a full assortment of FASHIONABLE CLOAKS, BASQUES, Circulars, Talmas, Basquines, &c., &c., including a full assortment of our own manufacture and of the latest European novelties.

LORD & TAYLOR,
Nos. 461 to 467 BROADWAY.
Nos. 255 to 261 GRAND-ST.
Nos. 47 and 49 CATHERINE-ST.

TO MILLINERS AND COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE

You can buy cut lengths of Millinery Goods cheaper than down-town jobbers sell whole pieces. Call.

Examine felt, beaver and straw goods

Full lines of bonnet ribbons, trimming velvets, laces, flowers and embroideries, from auction.

Mark the address.

Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand-st.,
Nos. 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st.,
Fifth block east from the Bowery,
EDWARD RIDLEY.

Entrance to the bonnet and wholesale rooms, No. 66 Allen-st., up stairs.

200 PIECES FINE BLACK ALPACAS for 50 cents a yard.

R. H. MACY,
14th-st. and 6th-av.

CORSETS AND SKIRTS AT GAYNOR'S.

We are now opening
THE MOST MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE FALL GOODS
ever offered in the UNITED STATES.
GAYNOR, Importer and Manufacturer,
No. 765 Broadway,
Between 8th and 9th sts.

We have no connection whatever with any other store in this City.

500 DOZEN GENT'S FINE HEMMED LINEN HDK'F'S, $3 a dozen.

R. H. MACY,
14th-st. and 6th-av.

A GREAT DECLINE IN WOOLENS.

BLANKETS, FLANNELS, CASSIMERES, &C., UNDER A HEAVY PRESSURE.

IMMENSE DECLINE IN PRICES.

GOOD BLANKETS, $1 50. FORMER PRICE, $3 00
BETTER QUALITY, 2 00. FORMER PRICE, 4 00
HEAVY BLANKETS, 2 50. FORMER PRICE, 4 50
ALL-WOOL BLANKETS, 3 00. FORMER PRICE, 5 00.
EXTRA ALL-WOOL, $4, $5, $6 and $8.

The decline in Blankets has been very great.
WHITE FLANNELS, 25c. FORMER PRICE, 37½c.
WHITE FLANNELS, 28c. FORMER PRICE, 40c.
FINE and WIDE FLANNELS, 37½c. FORMER PRICE, 50c.
HEAVY CANTON FLANNELS, 25c., 29c. and 31c.

These Flannels are just in from auction.

ALSO, BIG LOTS MERINOS AND ALPACAS.

CLOSING OUT SALE OF FURNITURE, carpets, oil-cloths, chandeliers, horse, wagons, harness, &c., &c.—THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) Oct. 9, at 10½ o'clock at No. 182 West 26th-st., near 8th-av., the entire balance of furniture, including 100 mahogany and other chairs; all kinds of goods suitable for the trade. N. B. Every article must be closed out as the owner leaves for California on the 20th inst.

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DRY GOODS.

OPENING OF CLOAKS.

M. GREGG,
No. 18 8th-av.,

will open

On THURSDAY NEXT, Oct. 11,

An elegant assortment of FRENCH CLOAKS,

For FALL AND WINTER WEAR,

Distingue in shapes and selected with the greatest care in Paris.

ALSO,

ELEGANT CARRIAGE AND EVENING CLOAKS.

Miss GREGG would respectfully call the attention of the ladies to her DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT, just opened in connection with her business, and to which she is prepared to give the utmost attention.

No. 18 8th-av.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

CARPETS
AND
OIL-CLOTHS.

SMITH & LOUNSBERY,
NO. 499 BROADWAY,
NEAR GRAND-ST., NEW-YORK, HAVE ON HAND A LARGE AND SELECT STOCK OF NEW FALL STYLES,

WHICH THEY ARE OFFERING AT IMPORTERS' AND MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

CARPETS MADE UP AND LAID AT SHORT NOTICE.

SATINS AND BROCATELS,
WORSTED REPS,
LACE CURTAINS,
NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS,
WINDOW SHADES,
PIANO AND TABLE COVERS,
TRIMMINGS, &c., &c., &c.

B. L. SOLOMON & SONS,

No. 369 Broadway.

Preparing to remove into their new store, (now erecting,) offer their entire stock of new and elegant goods, until Jan. 1, at prices greatly below market value.

Decorating done by the best workmen.

1,000 DOZEN LADIES' FINE LINEN CAMB. HDK'FS, for 12c. and $3 a dozen, first-rate value for the money.

R. H. MACY,
14th-st. and 6th-av.

R. H. MACY.

HAVING ENLARGED OUR STORE TO TWICE ITS FORMER SIZE, WITH A NEW FRONT ON FOURTEENTH-ST., WE ARE NOW OPENING AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF FALL GOODS, AT VERY POPULAR PRICES.

SPLENDID STOCK
BLACK DRESS SILKS
FRENCH AND ENGLISH MERINOES,
WOOLEN, KNIT AND LACE SHAWLS,
Fall styles Skirtings, Blankets, Quilts, Linens,
SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS, FLANNELS, WHITE GOODS, &c.

Complete stock of Ladies', Gents', Misses and Children's English, French and German Cotton and Merino Hose and Under-wear, full line of BALBRIGGAN HOSE, Gaiters, and a full assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods, best quality.

An elegant assortment of REAL LACES, CLUNY LACES, BARBES, VAILS, COIFFEURS, LACE SHAWLS, French and S-otch Needlework, Trimmings, BANDS, BOBES, COLLARS, SETS, &c., in latest styles.

Best quality Hat, Sash and Trimming Ribbons, Velvet Ribbons, every shade; Bonnet Velvets, novelties in Buttons, Dress and Cloak Trimmings, &c.

Ladies' made-up Clothing, in stock and to order, in steet style; Wenly, French and German Corsets; Bradley's Hoop Skirts, &c.

A large stock of Ladies' Gents' and Children's LINEN, CAMBRIC and SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.

LADIES', GENTS' AND CHILDREN'S HEMSTITCH AND NEEDLEWORK HANDKERCHIEFS.

An elegant stock of Ladies' French NEEDLEWORK and REAL LACE HANDKERCHIEFS.

Now opening Fall styles HATS, FRENCH FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.

A full assortment of EXTRACT SOAPS, BRUSHES and LADIES' TOILET ARTICLES, of the best quality.

A very large variety of NOTIONS, TAPES, BRAIDS, TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS, SCISSORS, NEEDLES and the thousand and one articles necessary for a full stock of those goods, and all of the best quality, at popular prices.

Our Fall importation of best quality French KID GLOVES, for LADIES, GENTS and CHILDREN, now open.

R. H. MACY,
14TH-ST. AND 6TH-AV.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

READY TO-DAY.

Trimmed Bonnet and Sash Ribbons at nearly half last month's prices.

ADDITION PURCHASES.

Full lines of black and colored watered Ribbons over 17 width, very cheap.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

Willow, Ostrich and other imported Feathers and Flowers in endless variety: largest stock in the City.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

Bonnet Silk Velvets, every color, shade and quality, under regular prices; good black Silk Velvets $2, $2 50, $3, $3 50 and a per yard.

All Silk (warranted) $4 75 per yard, bargains.

Full lines of white and colored uncut Velvets.

Cheap Bonnet Silks, Satins, Gros de Londres, Grode Afrique corded Silks and other bonnet materials.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

NEW DEPARTMENT.
YANKEE NOTIONS and HABERDASHERY,
CORSETS and Ladies' SKIRTS.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

Trimming Department Crowded with Novelties.

Full lines of Colored Silk Velvets, every width, color and shade.

Cheapest Black and Black and White Silk Ribbon Velvets in the City.

Glimps, Bugle Sets, Bugle Belts, Bands, Streamers, Buttons, Ornaments, &c., &c.

This department will amply repay an inspection.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

MILLINERY LACES.

Guipure, Thread, Valenciennes, Brussels, Cheney and other Real Laces, cheap.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

Lines of cheap Linen Collars and Sets.
Bargains in Real Lace Sets, Collars and Cuffs.
Linen Sets—one large lot at 50c. each, nearly half price.
HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

Our Kid Glove stock is beautifully assorted. Also, Cashmere lined, Thread, Berlin and Silk Gloves for Ladies, Misses and Gents, cheap.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

Bonnets, Hats, Turbans, Jockeys in Velvet, Beaver, Felt, Straw, &c., &c. Everything new for the season, as usual, at Bridgeport's prices. We have the Brighton, Chesterfield, Ristori, Dexter, Gladiateur, Turban, Queen Emma, Marion, Lambella, May Queen, Cottage, &c., &c. Every morning new goods from the manufacturers and auction. Largest stock in the city.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

AT GRAND-ST. CHEAP STORE.

WORSTED GOODS.

Nubias, Shawls, Zephyrs, Basques, Breakfast Capes and Hoods in many novelties, both handmade and woven, cheap.

EDWD RIDLEY,
Nos. 309, 311 and 311½ Grand, and 66, 68 and 70 Allen-st., Fifth block east from the Bowery.

W. J. F. DAILEY & CO.,
NO. 631 BROADWAY,
offer a superior assortment of
FRENCH CHINA DINNER SETS,
TEA SETS, VASES, &c., &c.
TABLE GLASS.
Also,
SILVER-PLATED WARE, and other house-furnishing goods.

Are the sole agents in New-York for the sale of H. N. HOOPER & CO.'S

GAS FIXTURES.

FULL LINE LACES, RIBBONS, VELVETS, at popular prices.

R. H. MACY,
14th-st. and 6th-av.

BARGAINS IN EMBROIDERIES.

A LARGE CONSIGNMENT TO BE SOLD, REGARDLESS OF COST.

200 Embroidered sets, $1 50; warranted worth $3.
725 Embroidered sets, $3; warranted worth $4.
640 Embroidered sets, $3 50; warranted worth $5.
200 Embroidered sets, $5; warranted worth $6.

ALSO, 308 LOTS OF
CLUNY LACES, POINT LACES,
VALENCIENNES LACES, THREAD LACES,
COLLARS SETS, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c.,
BLACK THREAD AND GUIPURE LACES,
BLACK LACE POINTS, BARBES AND COIFFEURS,
TOGETHER WITH THE
selection of Undergarments, Chemises, Nightgowns and Drawers, and infants outfits ready made and manufactured at short notice.

Dressmaking by experienced artists.

R. WILLIAMS & CO.,
No. 477 Broadway, N. Y.

AT DE PERCEVAL'S,

No. 79 Broadway, opposite Astor-place, infants' wardrobes, children's cloaks and suits, ladies' costumes, socks, dresses, caps, blankets, blue, waists, aprons, corsets, spencers, &c., &c.

Ladies' under-garments, ladies' skirts, ladies' and misses' sets. Large stock of embroidered yokes. Initials and coats-of-arms embroidered on handkerchiefs, table linen, and bed-clothes. Stamping and stamped goods of every kind.

WHOLESAL

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS,
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT COVE HARBOR.
AND
BETWEEN BOSTON AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT HALIFAX AND COVE HARBOR.

CUBA leaves Boston Wednesday, Oct. 11.
PERSIA leaves New-York Wednesday, Oct. 17.
ASIA leaves Boston Wednesday, Oct. 25.
SCOTIA leaves New-York Wednesday, Oct. 25.
CHINA leaves Boston Wednesday, Nov. 7.
AUSTRALASIAN leaves New-York Wednesday, Nov. 14

FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL.
Chief Cabin Passage.....$182 20
Second Cabin Passage.....85 00

FROM BOSTON TO LIVERPOOL.
Chief Cabin Passage.....$182 20
Second Cabin Passage.....85 00

payable in gold, or its equivalent in United States currency.

Berths not secured until paid for.

An experienced surgeon on board.

The owners of these steamers will not be accountable for Specie or Valuables unless bills of lading, having the value expressed, are signed therefor.

For freight or passage, apply to

E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

GREAT REDUCTION
IN PRICE OF PASSAGE TO EUROPE
BY THE
ONLY AMERICAN LINE TO ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

The New-York and Havre Steamship Company's first-class mail steamships ARAGO and FULTON, having been thoroughly refitted, will leave Pier No. 50 North River for Havre, calling at Falmouth, on the following days, at noon, precisely,

FULTON, S. SAMUELS.....Saturday, Aug. 4, 1866.
ARAGO, HENRY A. GARDNER.....Saturday, Sept. 1, 1866.
FULTON, S. SAMUELS.....Saturday, Sept. 29, 1866.
ARAGO, HENRY A. GARDNER.....Saturday, Oct. 27, 1866.
FULTON, S. SAMUELS.....Saturday, Nov. 24, 1866.

And every twenty-eight days thereafter.

PRICES OF PASSAGE PAYABLE IN GOLD
FIRST-CLASS:
Main Saloon.....$100 | Lower Saloon.....$80
Second class, $50.

An experienced surgeon on board.

The company will not be responsible for specie or valuables unless bills of lading, having the value expressed, are signed therefor.

J. J. COMSTOCK, Agent,
No. 7 Broadway, New-York.

JAMES A. WOTTON, Havre, General Agent in Europe.
L'HERBETTE, KANE & CO., Agents in Paris.

LONDON AND NEW-YORK STEAMSHIP LINE.

Passage to London, direct, $90, $80 and $30 currency.
Passage from London, $30, $60 and $80 gold.
CELLA, Capt. GLEADEL, from New-York, Oct. 13.
PENN, Capt. BILLINGS, from New-York, Oct. 27.
ATALANTA, Capt. PURRINGTON, from New-York, Nov. 7.
BELLONA, Capt. DIXON, from New-York, Dec. 1.

The British iron steamer CELLA, 2,500 tons, will leave Pier 53 North River, for London direct, on SATURDAY, Oct. 13, at 12 M.

Freight will be taken and through bills of lading given to Havre, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Amsterdam, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at low rates.

For freight apply at No. 54 South-st.

HOWLAND & ASPINWALL, Agents.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.

THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAMSHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.

The splendid new steamship on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River, as follows:

VILLE DE PARIS, SURMONT.....SATURDAY, Oct. 6
EUROPE, LAMARE.....SATURDAY, Oct. 20
ST. LAURENT, BOCANDI.....SATURDAY, Nov. 3
PEREIRE, DUCRESNE.....SATURDAY, Nov. 17

PRICE OF PASSAGE IN GOLD.

First cabin, $135; second cabin, $80, including table wine to either stage.

The steamers of this line do not carry steerage passengers.

Passengers intending to land at Brest will be furnished here with railroad coupon tickets, and their baggage booked for Paris, at the additional charge of $5 for first and $3 for second class.

Medical attendance free of charge.

For further information, apply to

CHAS. LEGRAND MACKENZIE, Agent
No. 58 Broadway.

STEAM TO GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL,

calling at Londonderry to land mails and passengers.

The favorite passenger steamers of
THE ANCHOR LINE
SAIL EVERY SATURDAY.

IOWA, CRAIG.....SATURDAY, Oct. 27
HIBERNIA, MONROE.....SATURDAY, Oct. 13
COLUMBIA.....SATURDAY, Nov. 6

RATES OF PASSAGE, PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.

To Liverpool, Glasgow and Derry: cabins, $90 and $70; steerage, $30.

Prepaid certificates from those ports to New-York, $35.

To Hamburg, Havre, Antwerp, &c., $100 and $37.

For further information apply at the company's offices.

FRANCIS MACKIE & CO., Agents,
No. 4 Bowling Green, New-York.

NATIONAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.
(Limited.)

Steamers weekly to Liverpool, calling at Queenstown.

The splendid first-class iron steamships of this line will be dispatched as follows from Pier No. 47 North River.

HELVETIA.....Ogilvie.....SATURDAY, Oct 13
THE QUEEN.....Grogan.....SATURDAY, Oct. 20
DENMARK.....Thompson..SATURDAY, Oct. 27

And every Saturday thereafter.

An experienced Surgeon on each ship, free of charge.

Drafts issued for any amount, payable at any bank in Great Britain, or on the continent.

Rates of passage, payable in currency,

	Cabin.	Steerage.
To Liverpool or Queenstown.....Cabin.	$100	$30
To Liverpool or Queenstown.....Steerage.	$100	$30

Through passage to Paris, London, Antwerp, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at low rates.

Steerage passage tickets to bring persons from Liverpool or Queenstown for $35, currency, can be obtained at No. 29 Broadway.

For freight or cabin passage apply at the office of the Company, No. 57 Broadway; for steerage tickets, at the passage office of the Company, No. 29 Broadway, or No. 276 Pearl-st.

F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

CUNARD STEERAGE LINE,
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT QUEENSTOWN.
FROM NEW-YORK EVERY WEDNESDAY.

ALEPPO.....Oct. 17
MALTA.....Oct. 24

RATES OF PASSAGE:

Cabin.....$80 Gold.
Steerage.....$30 Currency.

Steerage tickets from Liverpool or Queenstown at low rates.

For Steerage Passage, apply at No. 69 Broadway.

For Freight and Cabin Passage, at No. 4 Bowling-green.

E. CUNARD.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL—CALLING AT QUEENSTOWN.—The Inman Line, sailing semi-weekly, carrying the United States Mail:

CITY OF CORK.....WEDNESDAY.....Oct. 10
CITY OF NEW-YORK.....SATURDAY.....Oct. 13
KANGAROO.....WEDNESDAY.....Oct. 17
CITY OF LONDON.....SATURDAY.....Oct. 20
CITY OF WASHINGTON.....SATURDAY.....Oct. 27

and each succeeding SATURDAY and WEDNESDAY, at noon, from Pier No. 45 North River.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

By the mail steamers sailing every Saturday.

First Cabin.....$80 | Steerage.....$30
Second Cabin to London.....$60 | Steerage to London.....$30
First Cabin to Paris.....100 | Steerage to Paris.....40

PAYABLE IN GOLD.

Passage by the Wednesday steamers, $80; steerage, $30. Payable in United States currency.

Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at moderate rates.

Steerage tickets from Liverpool or Queenstown, $30 gold or its equivalent. Tickets can be bought here by persons sending for their friends.

For further information, apply at the Company's office.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

PANAMA, NEW-ZELAND AND AUSTRALIAN ROYAL MAIL COMPANY.
OPENING OF STEAM COMMUNICATION BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND AUSTRALIA, VIA PANAMA.

The service of the above Company will be commenced from Panama, on Wellington, New-Zealand, on the 26th of June, by steamship KAKAI, followed by the KAIKOURA, MATAURA and RUAHINE monthly.

Passengers and goods will be forwarded from Wellington to Auckland, Nelson, Napier, Lyttelton, Dunedin, Melbourne, and other parts of New-Zeland and Australia, by the Company's inter-Colonial steamers.

Arrangements are in progress for the conveyance of passengers and goods, from New-York to Panama, and rates to all the principal ports in the Australasian Colonies.

The voyages of the Company's ships will be made in connection with those of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

TIME.—From New-York to Wellington, 40 days; from Panama to Wellington, 28 days; to Sydney or Melbourne, 8 days additional; Wellington to New-York, 42 days; Wellington to Panama, 28 days; from Sydney or Melbourne, 8 days additional.

The service will be continued monthly. Particulars of fares and freights on application to Pacific Mail Steamship Company, 56 Wall-st., New-York.

CHAS. W. WEST, Agent,
No. 29 William-st., New-York.
WM. G. SEALY, Agent, Panama.

GRAND PLEASURE TOUR
TO THE
WEST INDIA ISLANDS,
including Havana, Cuba, Cape Haytien, St. Domingo, St. Juan, St. Thomas, St. Bart of mew, St. Croix, St. Kitts, Antigua, Martinique and Kingston, calling at New-Orleans and Charleston on return.

The LARGE, FIRST-CLASS SIDE-WHEEL OCEAN STEAMER

will be chartered for the occasion, to sail about Nov. 1.

The whole trip will occupy about one month, in the most delightful season of the year for the Tropics.

Price of passage for the round trip, including state-room and first-class table provided with every luxury:

Adults.....$250 00
Children under 10, and servants.....200 00

Only parties of known respectability will be received, as the affair will be very select.

For passage and further particulars apply to

DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.,
No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

FOR $1, THOMAS AND BRAZIL.—REGULAR UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS.
Sailing on the 23d of every month:
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. J. F. ZIMMERMAN, Oct. 23.
SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. H. NEWKERAUER, Nov. 23.
GUIDING STAR, Capt. W. C. BERRY, Dec. 22.

These elegant steamers sail with regularity, and call at St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For engagement of freight or passage, apply to GARRISON & ALLEN, Agents,
No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

FOR CHINA—THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S steamer COSTA RICA, Capt. W. G. FORBES, will sail from Pier 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock, noon, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10, for Hong Kong, via the Cape of Good Hope, taking a limited number of first cabin passengers. Connections at Hong Kong for Shanghae and Yokohama. For passage apply at the Company's office, No. 59 Wall-st.

FOR HAVANA, VIA NASSAU, N. P.

The British and North American Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's new steamer CORSICA, Capt. LE MESURIER, will sail for the above ports, from the Company's wharf, at Jersey City, on

SATURDAY.....Nov. 3 | MONDAY.....Dec. 3
Passage money to Nassau.....$45
Passage money to Havana.....50

Payable in gold or its equivalent.

No freight received on day before sailing.

For freight or passage, apply to

E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

FOR HAVANA DIRECT.

Every WEDNESDAY, Pier 4 N. R., punctually at 3 P. M.

The elegant and favorite side-wheel steamships

MORRO CASTLE, ADAMS, Commander, sails Oct. 10.
EAGLE, CERRONE, Commander, sails Oct. 17.
COLUMBIA, SLOCUM, Commander, sails Oct. 24.
GARRISON & ALLEN, Agents, 5 Bowling-green, N. Y.

BLACK STAR LINE OUTSIDE STEAMERS.

FOR WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, D. C., AND ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
Comprising steamships
THAMES AND TARTAR.

The former leaves Pier No. 13 North River on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10. For freight or passage, having handsome accommodations, apply to

E. LOWDER, Agent, Cedar-st, corner West-st.

SHIPPING.

REGULAR LINE FOR GALVESTON, DIRECT,

No charge made for drayage in Galveston on goods forwarded to the interior by railroad.

The favorite steamship TYBEE, Capt. DAVID CADLEZE, will leave Pier No. 4 North River, for Galveston, direct, on SATURDAY, Oct. 13, at 3 o'clock P. M. precisely. Receiving freight now.

Splendid accommodations for passengers. Apply to

SPOFFORD, TILESTON & CO.,
No. 20 Broadway.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S
THROUGH LINE
TO CALIFORNIA,
CARRYING UNITED STATES MAIL,
VIA PANAMA RAILROAD.

Steamers leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock, noon, as follows:

Oct. 1.—OCEAN QUEEN, Capt. E. HOWES, to connect with MONTANA, Capt. G. H. BRADBURY.
Oct. 11.—ARIZONA, Capt. CHAS. H. MAURY, to connect with SACRAMENTO, Capt. CAVERLY.
Oct. 21.—HENRY CHAUNCEY, Capt. A. G. GRAY, to connect with GOLDEN GATE, Capt. LESTOCK.

All departures touch at Acapulco; those of 1st and 21st connect at Panama with steamers for South Pacific ports; 1st and 11th for Central American Ports, and those of 1st touch at Manzanillo.

Departure of 11th each month connects with the new steam line from Panama to Australia and New-Zealand.

Steamer of Dec. 11, 1865, will connect with the first steamer of the Compagnie's Chinea Line, leaving San Francisco Jan. 1, 1867, for Hong Kong.

150 pounds baggage allowed each adult. Medicines and attendance free.

For passage tickets and all further information apply at the office on the wharf, foot of Canal-st., North River, New-York.

S. K. HOLMAN, Agent.

FOR CALIFORNIA VIA PANAMA.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer ARIZONA will sail on THURSDAY, Oct. 11, at 12 o'clock noon.

Freight received as usual.

For rates, &c., inquire at freight office on Company's Pier, No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
Sole Freight Agents, P. M. S. S. Co.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
NORTH AMERICAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

The steamship SAN FRANCISCO will be dispatched for San Francisco, via Nicaragua, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, Oct. 2, at 4 o'clock, precisely, taking the passengers of the steamship Santiago de Cuba.

D. R. GARRINGTON, Agent.

NEW-YORK TO VERA CRUZ DIRECT.

The General Transatlantic Company will dispatch the following fast-sailing steamers:

VERA CRUZ, Capt. HILLARD, Oct. 3.
FLORIDE, ——, Oct. 21.
CAMPICO, Capt. GILBERT PIERIS, Nov. 12.

Carrying passengers and freight at moderate rates. Apply to

GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST
BY THE REGULAR UNITED STATES MAIL LINE,
one of the favorite and elegant steamers

QUAKER CITY,	SARAGOSSA,
ANDALUSIA,	SEMINOLE,

Will leave Pier No. 14, North River, near the foot of Wall-street, on TUESDAY and SATURDAY, at 3 P. M. Through bills of lading will be signed at the pier for Wilmington, N. C., and Charleston, S. C., connecting at those points, and passage tickets given to all connecting points, and passage tickets given to Columbia.....$27 | West Point.....$30 00
Augusta.....27 | Macgomery.....61 00
Atlanta.....30 | Montgomery.....61 00

and New-Orleans $45.

Which includes all charges except meals on railroads. For freight or passage, apply on the pier, or to

ARTHUR LEARY, No. 72 William-st.

QUAKER CITY sails Oct. 6.
GRANADA sails Oct. 9.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C.

THE PEOPLE'S MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S favorite and elegant steamships

CITY POINT, Commander R. W. LOCKWOOD,
and MONEKA, Commander C. P. MARSHMAN, will leave Pier No. 36 North River, foot of North Moore-st., every THURSDAY, at 3 P. M.

The steamer MONEKA,
Capt. MARSHMAN,

will leave THURSDAY, Oct. 11, at 3 P. M.

Through freight tickets issued to all points on the South Carolina Railroad and connecting lines.

Through bills of lading signed on the pier to all points in connection with the South Carolina Railroad.

For freight or passage, or any information, apply to

LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO.,
No. 68 Liberty-st.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.—The elegant steamship ISAAC BELL, Commander, will sail This DAY, (Tuesday,) Oct. 2, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 14, East River. Passage $25.

ARTHUR LEARY, No. 72 William-st.

The very fast and elegant steamship SARAGOSSA will follow on SATURDAY, Oct. 13.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.

ATLANTIC COAST MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S NEW AND SPLENDID SIDE-WHEEL STEAMSHIPS,
HERMAN LIVINGSTON.....Capt. J. B. BAKER.
GEN. BARNES.....Capt. T. H. MORTON.

Every THURSDAY from Pier No. 36, North River, foot of North Moore-street.

Capt. GERALD BARNES,
Capt. MORTON,

leaves THURSDAY, Oct. 11, at 3 P. M.

Through passage tickets issued to all points on the Georgia Central Railroad and its connections.

Freight received daily, and through bills lading signed on the Pier in connection with the Georgia Central Railroad to all points on that road and its connections South and West.

Freight received daily; through rates furnished.

For freight or passage, with unsurpassed accommodations, apply to

LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO.,
No. 68 Liberty-st.

EMPIRE LINE FOR SAVANNAH.

Every SATURDAY from Pier No. 13 North River, Punctually at 3 o'clock P. M.,
The favorite sidewheel steamships
SAN SALVADOR, ATKINS, Commander, sails Oct. 13.
SAN JACINTO, LOVELAND, Commander, sails Oct. 20.

Through tickets and bills of lading to all points. Elegant passenger accommodations.

GARRISON & ALLEN, No. 5 Bowling-green, N. Y.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.—MURRAY'S LINE.
EVERY TUESDAY.

The favorite steamship LEO, R. C. DEARBORN, Commander, will sail on TUESDAY, Oct. 9, at 3 P. M. precisely, from Pier No. 16 East River, foot of Wall-st.

Through bills of lading and passage tickets given to all points in connection with Georgia Central Railroad.

For freight or passage apply to

MURRAY, FERRIS & CO.,
Nos. 61 and 62 South-st.

LOW RATES
TO
NORFOLK, CITY POINT AND RICHMOND, VA.
FREIGHTS.

To Norfolk, Measurement Goods, 6 cents per foot; Flour 30 cents per barrel.

To Richmond, measurement goods, 8 cents per foot; flour, 30 cents per barrel.

To Norfolk $6. City Point and Richmond $8.

ATLANTIC COAST MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S new and elegant side-wheel steamships
ALPS, Capt. S. ALEXANDER,

Every SATURDAY at 12 M.,
ALBEMARLE, Capt. BOURNE,

Every WEDNESDAY at 3 P. M.,
From Pier No. 36 North River.

For freight or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
No. 68 Liberty-st.

FOR RICHMOND, NORFOLK AND CITY POINT.
The OLD LINE, from Pier No. 21, North River.
NIAGARA, Capt. OYDEN,
EVERY SATURDAY, at 3 P. M.
SARATOGA, Capt. KIDD,
EVERY WEDNESDAY, at 3 P. M.
G. HEINEKEN & PALMORE,
No. 115 Broadway, (up stairs,)
Agents New-York and Virginia Steamship Co.

STAR LINE FOR NEW-ORLEANS.

The NEW-YORK MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S fine ocean steamers will leave Pier No. 46 North River, at 3 o'clock P. M., as follows:

MARIPOSA, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10.
MISSISSIPPI, on SATURDAY, Oct. 13.
HAVANA, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 17.
COLORADO, on SATURDAY, Oct. 20.
MONTEREY, on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 24.
EVENING STAR, on SATURDAY, Oct. 27.

All bills of lading signed at the office upon the pier.

For freight or passage apply to

C. K. GARRISON, President, No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS—BLACK STAR LINE.

The steamship
MARMION, Capt. HAZARD,

will leave on SATURDAY, Oct. 13, from Pier No. 13 N. R., at 3 o'clock precisely.

For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to

R. LOWDEN, Agent,
Corner Cedar and West sts.

DAVID McCOARD, Agent in New-Orleans.

FOR NEW ORLEANS, DIRECT.

The new and first-class steamship GEORGE CROMWELL, Capt. E. E. VAILL, will leave Pier No. 9 North River, on SATURDAY, Oct. 13, at 3 o'clock P. M.

For freight or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to

H. B. CROMWELL & CO.,
No. 86 West-st.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—Citizens about to travel abroad may procure passports from A. G. WILMARTH, United States passport agent, No. 41 Chambers-st.

EXPRESSES.

On and after Oct. 20, 1866, the

CALIFORNIA PACKAGE EXPRESS

Will close at 5 P. M. on the day previous to steamer's sailing.

THE LETTER EXPRESS

will be closed as follows, viz.:

No. 1 Broadway.....	at	11:30 A. M.
Metropolitan Hotel.....	at	11:15 A. M.
Pier 42 North River (foot of Canal-st.).....	at	11:00 A. M.

on day of steamer's sailing.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE STREET COMMISSIONER,
No. 220 BROADWAY.

TO CONTRACTORS.—PROPOSALS IN a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the work, and name of the bidder written thereon will be received at this office until FRIDAY, Oct. 12, 1866, at 11 o'clock A. M.

For regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth-street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

For curbing, guttering and flagging Forty-seventh-street, between Eighth-avenue and Broadway.

For curbing, guttering and flagging West-street, and intersecting streets, from Chambers to Canal street.

For curbing, guttering and flagging Laurens-street between Spring and Prince streets.

For curbing, guttering and flagging One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

For curbing guttering and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-third-street, between Fourth-avenue and Avenue A.

For flagging Laight-street, between Hudson-street and North River.

For flagging Sixty-second-street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

For flagging Forty-sixth-street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, south side.

For flagging Third-avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Seventy-ninth streets.

For flagging Third-avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.

For flagging the sidewalks around Stuyvesant-square.

For building the foundations and erecting the iron railing to inclose Madison-square.

For filling sunken lots on Broadway, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street.

Blank forms of proposals, together with the specifications and agreements, can be obtained at this office.—Dated Street Department, New-York, Sept. 29, 1866.

CHARLES G. CORNELL,
Street Commissioner.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

BOARDING.—PLEASANT ROOMS, FRONT, for gentleman and wife; rooms for single gentlemen. 37 West 23d-st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT IN private family, elegantly located; No. 13 East 125th-st., between Broadway and 5th-av.

BOARD AND AN ELEGANTLY FURNISHED centre second floor can be had on Murray Hill. Unexceptionable references given and required. Address W., Box No. 2,112 New-York Post-office.

A PRIVATE FAMILY RESIDING ON the 5th-av., between 11th and 12th-sts., have a large and small room on the second floor, well furnished, to let on very reasonable terms, with or without board; gas and bath. For particulars inquire at No. 370 Bowery, in the store.

A HOME WANTED BY A SINGLE GENtleman in a private family; a good room, well furnished, and partial board required; he gives as reference the family with whom he has had a home many years. Address SOUTH-STREET, Box No. 3,576 New-York Post-office.

PLEASANT ROOMS WITH THE BEST board can be had in a private family on Staten Island, ten minutes' walk from Quarantine Landing; furnace in house; unexceptionable references required. Address L., Box No. 126 Times Office.

A PRIVATE FAMILY, HAVING TAKEN a house southwest corner 58th-st. and Lexington-av., a very large, handsome, and airy front room than they require, wish to let rooms, with or without board, or would let this part to a small private family.

A—PARTIES WILLING TO PAY FOR a new and handsomely furnished rooms, with board, within 5 minutes' walk from Quarantine. Hotel, may address C. H. E., Box 1,854 Post-office.

A SMALL PRIVATE FAMILY CAN ACcommodate two or three gentlemen with a furnished room, with full or partial board; bath, gas, &c. No. 134 West 26th-st.

WASHINGTON-SQUARE.—TO LET, A handsomely-furnished suite of parlors, to one or two gentlemen or gentleman and wife, with partial board. Other rooms. Call at No. 112 West 4th-st.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, WITH OR without board, in a private family, for a gentleman and wife or one or two gentlemen, at No. 93 East 34th-st., near 3d-av.

WEST 31ST ST.—PLEASANT ROOMS WITH board, for a family of three or four adults. Address M., Station G, New-York.

BROOKLYN BOARD.—A SUITE OF ROOMS, with board, to let, furnished or unfurnished, at No. 141 Montague-st. References required.

STEAMBOATS.

THE OLD LINE
FOR ORIENT POINT, ORIENT, GREENPORT AND SAG HARBOR.

The new and elegant steamer ARTISAN, Capt. G. C. GRANT, will leave Pier No. 25, (foot of Rutgers-st.,) EVERY WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 P. M., for the above places. Returning, leave Sag Harbor EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 2 P. M. Passengers and freight taken to New-Suffolk direct on the Wednesday trip. For further information apply to

WILLIAMS & BROTHERS, No. 5 Beekman-st.

OCTOBER, 1866.—SHREWSBURY AND LONG Branch, Sandy Hook, Highlands, Fort Washington, Mount's and Brown's Dock, Fairhaven and Red Bank. Fare, 75 cents. Passengers leave the new steamer NEW JERSEY, Capt. WM. S. DOWDEN, having passenger accommodations and speed superior to any boat ever on this route, will leave the foot of Barclay-st., in place of steamer METAMORA, as follows:

LEAVE NEW-YORK.	LEAVE RED BANK.
Tuesday, Oct. 2, 9½ A. M.	Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1 P. M.
Wednesday, Oct. 3, 11½ A. M.	Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2 P. M.
Thursday, Oct. 4, 11½ A. M.	Thursday, Oct. 4, 3 P. M.
Friday, Oct. 5, 12 M.	Friday, Oct. 5, 3½ P. M.
Saturday, " 6, 4 P. M.	

All freight is requested to be on board half an hour before starting.

SHREWSBURY AND LONG BRANCH, Sandy Hook, Highlands, Fort Washington, Mount's and Brown's Dock, Fairhaven, Red Bank. Fare 10 cents. The new and elegant steamer BIRD, Capt. H. B. PARKER, will leave pier foot of Chambers-st. as follows:

LEAVE NEW-YORK.	LEAVE RED BANK.
Tuesday, Oct. 2, 10 A. M.	Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1½ P. M.
Wednesday, " 3, 11 A. M.	Wednesday, " 3, 2½ P. M.
Thursday, " 4, 12 M.	Thursday, " 4, 3½ P. M.
Friday, " 5, 12½ P. M.	Friday, " 5, 4 P. M.
Saturday, " 6, 3 P. M.	

FOR ORIENT, GREENPORT, SAG HARBOR AND NEW-SUFFOLK.—The new and elegant side-wheel steamer EDWARD EVERETT, Capt. CHAS. J. READ, will leave Pier No. 14, Maiden-st., foot of East River, every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 P. M. Returning will leave New-Suffolk every MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 2 P. M.

For freight or passage apply to
CHAS. LUTHER, Agent, No. 5 James-slip.
N. L. MOOREADY & CO., No. 36 Cortlandt-st.

DAY LINE STEAMBOATS.—C. VIBBARD and DANIEL DREW will leave Desbrosses-st. daily at 7:45 A. M. and 3:30 P. M., for Albany and Troy. Landing at Yonkers, Cornwall, West Point, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Bristol, Catskill and Hudson. A high-draft steamboat will, on arrival at Albany, carry passengers and baggage to Troy, making close connections with the Troy and Boston Railroad. No freight, horses or carriages received.

NEW-YORK AND TROY STEAMBOAT COMPANY.—The boats of this line (CONNECTICUT and RIP VAN WINKLE) leave Pier No. 44, foot of Spring-st., daily, (Sundays excepted). Tickets sold and baggage checked to Saratoga and all points North. This is the only line North without change of cars.

FOR PROVIDENCE DIRECT.—THE fine steamer CITY OF NEW-YORK, Capt. H. HALL, will leave Pier No. 33, North River, for Providence, EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

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E. F. PHILLIPS,
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FOR NEWBURGH, WEST POINT, Poughkeepsie, Rondout and Kingston, landing at Cozzens' Dock, Cornwall, New-Hamburgh and Milton. The

STEAMER MARY POWELL

leaves Desbrosses-st. every afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FOR NEW-HAVEN, HARTFORD AND WHITE MOUNTAINS.—Steamers leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:15 and 11 P. M., connecting with railroad.

RAILROADS.

HUDSON RIVER AND HARLEM RAILROADS, on and after MONDAY, Oct. 1, 1866, trains for Albany and Troy, connecting with Northern and Western trains, will leave New-York as follows:

9:45 A. M. Express train via Harlem Railroad, 26th-st. and 4th-av., connecting at Chatham with Western Railroad for Lebanon Springs, Pittsfield, etc.; at Albany with trains for West, and at Troy with trains for Saratoga Springs, Rutland, Burlington and Montreal.

4 P. M. Express train via Harlem Railroad, connecting at Albany with trains for West, and at Troy with trains for North.

11 P. M. Express train via Harlem Railroad, 26th-st. and 4th-av., connecting at Chatham with Western Railroad for Lebanon Springs, Pittsfield, etc.; at Albany with trains for West, and at Troy with trains for Rutland, Burlington and Montreal.

4 P. M. Express train via Hudson River Railroad, with sleeping-cars attached, and through to Buffalo and Suspension Bridge without change of cars. Also sleeping-car every day excepting Saturdays attached from New-York to Niagara Falls, Lockport and Suspension Bridge, via Rome, W. and O. Railroad. This train will run on Sundays. Connection for Troy will be made at East Albany.

11 P. M. Express via Hudson River Railroad, with sleeping-car attached, arriving at Albany and Troy in the morning, and connecting with trains for North and West.

WM. H. VANDERBILT, Vice-President.

ERIE RAILWAY.—TRAINS LEAVE DEPOT foot of Chambers-st., Pavonia Ferry:

7:45 A. M.—Day Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Salamanca and all points West and South.

8:30 A. M.—Way Train daily to Otisville.

10 A. M.—Express Mail, Buffalo, Salamanca and West.

3 P. M.—Way Train, for Middletown.

4:30 P. M.—Way, for Port Jervis, Newburgh, Warwick.

5:30 P. M.—Night Express, Buffalo, Salamanca and Dunkirk.

7 P. M.—Lightning Express, daily, for Buffalo, Salamanca, Dunkirk, and all point; West and South.

8 P. M.—Emigrant Train daily, for the West.

Express trains run in direct connection with all uthern and Western lines

W. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass. Agent. H. RIDDLE, Gen'l Sup't.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.—FALL ARRANGEMENT, FROM OCT. 1, 1866.

Leave James-slip, New-York:

8 A. M., for Greenport and stations.

10:30 A. M., for Syosset and way stati ns.

2:30 P. M., Greenport Express train.

4:00 P. M., for Syosset and way stations.

5:30 P. M., for Farmingdale and way stations, and on Saturday nights to North Islip.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY.—Trains leave Jersey City for Piermont at 5:00 and 9:12 A. M. and 1:15 4:22 and 6:02 P. M. Saturdays only at 11:15 P. M. The 9:12, 4:22, and 6:02 run through to Monsey.

THOMAS W. DEMAREST, Superintendent.

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Bank open daily from 10 to 3 P. M., and on Monday Wednesday and Saturday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock.

RICHARD KELLY, Secretary.

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Interest allowed at the rate of 6 per cent. on all sums entitled thereto, free of Government tax. Open daily from 10 to 3 P. M.

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SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED
(FREE FROM GOVERNMENT TAX)
ON ALL SUMS FROM $5 TO $5,000.
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UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK,
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Deposits from 10 cents to $5,000 received.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST, free of tax.
Deposits before Oct. 21 draw interest from Oct. 1.
Assets, $2,265,068 14.

METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK,
No. 10 COOPER INSTITUTE.
DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE Oct. 20 will draw interest from Oct. 1. Six per cent. interest paid, free from Government tax, upon all sums from $5 to $5,000.

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THE BEST AND CHEAPEST INK.—"Keys' National Writing Fluid" and "American Union Ink." No sediment; flow freely and do not corrode. Sold by the trade generally. Manufactured REEVES & CO., successor to J. O. Keys. Removed to 20 Washington-st., near Meeker.

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TO LOAN—$200,000 in sums to suit applicants.

FOR SALE—Property in the 5th ward.

FOR SALE—No. — West 20th-st.; 25x87; first class; with or without the elegant furniture; possession 15th of October.

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE AT CORTLANDT ON THE HUDSON RIVER.—The beautiful property residence known as Linden Park, about one mile from and in view of the river; the place contains about 21 acres, on which is a large dwelling, built within the last ten years, and is in good order; all modern conveniences, including a large ice-house; new last year, put up at a cost of over $4,000; a beautiful little lake of clear spring water—this lake supplies nearly all the ice which is consumed in the village; well stocked with fish, such as bass, pickerel and perch; there is over 2,000 fruit trees, mostly coming into bearing, of the choicest kind of fruit. For particulars, apply to C. M. KING, on the place, or FISH & ELLIOT, No. 25 Pine-st., New-York.

FOR SALE—ON THE LINE OF THE HUDSON River Railroad, within convenient distance of the City, one of the most elegant residences in the State; high ground, with views unsurpassed; healthfulness unquestioned; house first-class, with every convenience, adapted for either Summer or Winter; the grounds are very fine, about 50 acres, with fruits of every description; shade trees old and grand, outbuildings large and first-class, graperooms, greenhouses and every appurtenance of a first-class residence. For further particulars apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

A DESIRABLE COUNTRY SEAT FOR SALE

THE TURF.

Speed Patterson Full Hooting—Programme of the Meeting—Sale of the Stallion Monterey for $50,000.

The entries for the purses to be run to-day, this last day of the Jamaica Fall meeting, closed last night, and will be found advertised in another column. A capital programme of sports is provided, and the racing promises to be more than usually interesting. The sport commences one mile and one furlong dash for two-year-olds, for which there are entered the following: viz.: Mr. J. B. Haggin's br. c. Salvator, by Imp. Enquirer—Flavia; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. c. Peter Pan, by Imp. Hermit—Lizzie Lucas; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelbert, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelinda, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelred, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelwyn, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelyn, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelmer, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelbert, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelda, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelene, by Imp. Hermit—Ethel Gray; Mr. Jas. R. Keene's b. f. Ethelfleda